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Chapter 1

Introduction

Compliance

Euterpe is a processor for the MicroUnity MediaComputer based on an implementation of the *Terpsichore Architecture*. It conforms with the specifications in *MicroUnity Terpsichore System Architecture* dated April 14, 1994.

Scope of this Book

This document is intended to describe:

1. The details of the Euterpe implementation of the architecture
2. The ways Euterpe is different from the Terpsichore specification
3. The areas of Euterpe design that are not mentioned by the architecture

This document should be used in conjunction with the *Terpsichore System Architecture* document to understand how Euterpe works.

The Basics

Euterpe is a multiprocessor on a chip—5 hardware-based cylinders of control share a single datapath, cache, DRAM interface, and I/O interfaces. Each thread of control is assigned to one time slot in a cycle of five slots. This is known as a *barrel processor*. In this way, contention between cylinders has been eliminated whenever possible. Some exceptions to this include the serialization of hardware exceptions and access to off-chip memory.

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The barrel processing introduces two clock rates: that of the underlying datapath, and that of each cylinder. We sometimes call these *minor* and *major*, respectively; the minor clock time is called a *tick* and the major clock time a *cycle*. Nominally, a tick is 772ps and a cycle is 5 times that, or 3.86ns.

General Registers

Each cylinder has sixty-four 64-bit general purpose registers.

SRAM

Euterpe has 32KB of onchip SRAM dedicated to instructions and 32KB of onchip SRAM dedicated to data. Through Cerberus registers, each of these SRAMs may be configured as a mixture of cache and buffer. The cache is direct-mapped, virtually indexed, and physically tagged; it may be configured as 0KB, 4KB, 8KB, or 16KB in size, with the rest of the 32KB SRAM being buffer. Loads from data SRAM have a fixed latency of 2 cycles.

Cache

Offchip memory may be accessed indirectly, via the cache (cache misses are serviced by hardware), or directly using a *no-allocate* access mode associated with the address translation hardware. When offchip memory is accessed directly, loads are non-blocking and have variable latency, which depends on the speed of the memory and the contention for resources involved in accessing it. For more information on non-blocking loads, see "Non-blocking Load Buffer" on page 44.

Protection

Euterpe has a sophisticated address translation and protection mechanism. The protection mechanism involves 4 privilege levels: 0, 1, 2 and 3, where 0 is the lowest privilege and 3 is the highest. For more information on protection and memory management, see "Memory Hierarchy" on page 31.

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Gateways

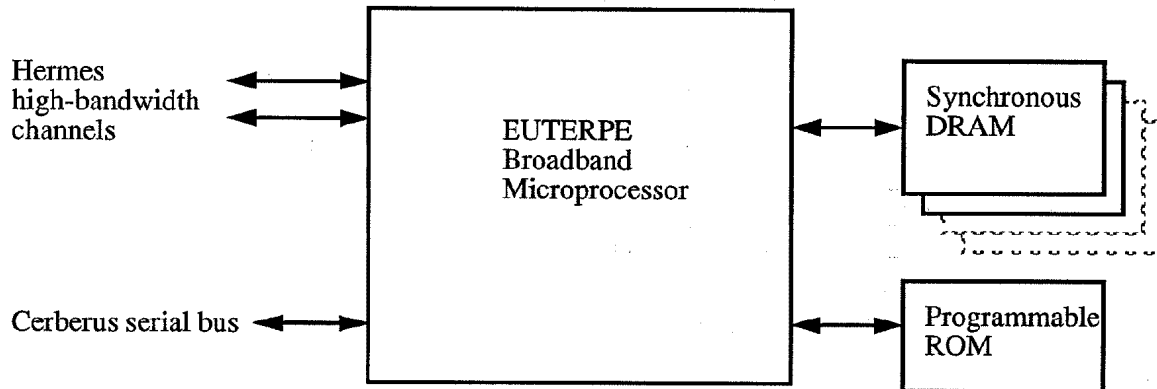
Euterpe provides *gateways* to control transitions between privilege levels. A gateway is a memory region that defines values for the *program counter* (pc), privilege level, and data pointer registers. A special branch instruction accesses a gateway; this form of access is separately permitted or denied based on protections established in the GTLB. Thus, what is essentially a function call can increase the privilege level in a controlled way. A special form of branch instruction is also provided to lower the privilege level upon return from the privileged function.

Input/Output

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Euterpe provides external interfaces to between 4MB and 32MB of synchronous DRAM and up to 128KB of programmable ROM, as well as interfaces to the Cerberus serial bus (as master and slave), and to two Hermes high-bandwidth channels.

Euterpe Block Diagram



See page 32 for more information on these external interfaces.

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Chapter 2

Instruction Set

The tables on the following pages list the instructions that can be issued to the Euterpe processor. All instructions are 32 bits in size, and use the high-order 8 bits to specify a major operation code.

Operation code fields:

| | | | | | |
|----|-------|----|----|-------|---|
| 31 | major | 24 | 23 | other | 0 |
|----|-------|----|----|-------|---|

Byte order in memory:

byte 3 byte 2 byte 1 byte 0

For the major operation field values G.1, G.2, G.4, G.8, G.16, G.32, G.64, G.128, L.MINOR, S.MINOR, E.MINOR, and B.MINOR, the lowest-order six bits in the instruction specify a minor operation code.

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|-------|----|----|-------|---|---|-------|---|
| 31 | major | 24 | 23 | other | 6 | 5 | minor | 0 |
|----|-------|----|----|-------|---|---|-------|---|

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Tables of Operation Codes

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MAJOR OPERATION CODE FIELD VALUES

| MAJOR | 0x0 | 20 | 40 | 60 | 80 | A0 | C0 | E0 |
|-------|----------------|----------------|------------|----------------------------|---------|-----------|----------|----------------|
| 0x0 | ERES | GSHUFFLEI | FMULADD16 | GMULADD1 | LU16LAI | SAAS64LAI | EADDIO | REF16 |
| 1 | ESHUFFLEIMUX | GSHUFFLEIMUX | FMULADD32 | GMULADD3 | LU16BAI | SAAS64BAI | EADDIUO | GENREF16 |
| 2 | | GSELECT8 | FMULADD64 | GMULADD4 | LU16LI | SCAS64LAI | ESETIL | GFNUG64 |
| 3 | EMDEPI | GMDEPI | | GMULADD8 | LU16BI | SCAS64BAI | ESETIGE | GFNUL16 |
| 4 | EMUX | GMUX | FMULS3216 | GMULADD16 | LU32LAI | SMAS64LAI | ESETIE | REF32 |
| 5 | EMMUX | GMMUX | FMULS3232 | GMULADD32 | LU32BAI | SMAS64BAI | ESETINE | GFNUF32 |
| 6 | EGFMUL64 | GGFMUL8 | FMULS3264 | GMULADD64 | LU32LI | SMUX64LAI | ESETIUL | GFNUG64 |
| 7 | ETRANSPOSEBMUX | GTRANSPOSEBMUX | | GEXTRACT128 | LU32BI | SMUX64BAI | ESETIUGE | GFNUL32 |
| 8 | | | | | L16LAI | S16LAI | ESUBIO | REF64 |
| 9 | ECOPYSWAP | GCOPYSWAP | | GUMULADD32 | L16BAI | S16BAI | ESUBIUO | GFNUF64 |
| A | | GCOPYSWAPCOPY | | GUMULADD4 | L16LI | S16LI | ESUBIL | GFNUG64 |
| B | | GCOPYSWAPSWAP | | GUMULADD8 | L16BI | S16BI | ESUBIGE | GFNUL64 |
| C | EDEPI | GDEPI | F16 | GUMULADD16 | L32LAI | S32LAI | ESUBIE | REF128 |
| D | EUDEPI | GUDEPI | F32 | GUMULADD32 | L32BAI | S32BAI | ESUBINE | GFNUF128 |
| E | EWTHI | GWTHI | F64 | GUMULADD64 | L32LI | S32LI | ESUBIUL | GFNUG128 |
| F | EUWTHI | GUWTHI | | GUEXTRACT128 | L32BI | S32BI | ESUBIUGE | GFNUL128 |
| 10 | | | GFMLADD16 | GEXTRACT1 | L64LAI | S64LAI | EADDI | BANDI |
| 11 | | | GFMLADD32 | GEXTRACT16 GUEXTRACT132 | L64BAI | S64BAI | EXORI | BANDNE |
| 12 | | | GFMLADD64 | GEXTRACT32 | L64LI | S64LI | EORI | B * B.Z |
| 13 | | | GFMLADD128 | GUEXTRACT164 | L64BI | S64BI | FANDI | BGE * BGEZ |
| 14 | | | GFMLSUB16 | GEXTRACT164 | L128LAI | S128LAI | ESUBI | BE |
| 15 | | | GFMLSUB32 | | L128BI | S128BAI | | BNE |
| 16 | | | GFMLSUB64 | GEXTRACT128 | L128LI | S128LI | ENORI | BUL * BCZ |
| 17 | | | GFMLSUB128 | | L128BI | S128BI | ENANDI | BUGE * BLEZ |
| 18 | | | | G.1 | L8I | S8I | | BCATEI |
| 19 | | | | G.2 | LUBI | | | |
| 1A | | | | G.4 | | | | |
| 1B | | | | G.8 | | | | |
| 1C | | | GF16 | G.16 | | | ECOPYI | BI |
| 1D | | | GF32 | G.32 | | | ENOSP | BLINKI |
| 1E | | | GF64 | G.64 | | | | |
| 1F | | | GF128 | G.128 | LMINOR | SMINOR | EMINOR | BMINOR |

- a. The first instruction should be used when the registers are different. If the registers are equal, the second instruction ending with z should be used.

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| IMPLEMENTED (PER ARCH. 4/14/94) |
| IMPLEMENTED (NEW TO ARCH.) |
| IMPLEMENTED (DIFFERENT FROM ARCH.) |
| NOT IMPLEMENTED |

Most of the instructions in the major operation code table behave in a similar fashion to those described in the Terpsichore Architecture. The extract instructions in column 96, though, are somewhat different. For more information, see "Extract" on page 16.

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MINOR OPERATION CODE FIELD VALUES

I

| L.MINOR | 0x0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|---------|--------|-------|--------|-----|----|----|----|----|
| 0x0 | LU16LA | L16LA | L64LA | L8 | | | | |
| 1 | LU16BA | L16BA | L64BA | LUB | | | | |
| 2 | LU16L | L16L | L64L | | | | | |
| 3 | LU16B | L16B | L64B | | | | | |
| 4 | LU32LA | L32LA | L128LA | | | | | |
| 5 | LU32BA | L32BA | L128BA | | | | | |
| 6 | LU32L | L32L | L128L | | | | | |
| 7 | LU32B | L32B | L128B | | | | | |

I

| S.MINOR | 0x0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|---------|----------|-------|--------|----|----|----|----|----|
| 0x0 | SAAS64LA | S16LA | S64LA | S8 | | | | |
| 1 | SAAS64BA | S16BA | S64BA | | | | | |
| 2 | SCAS64LA | S16L | S64L | | | | | |
| 3 | SCAS64BA | S16B | S64B | | | | | |
| 4 | SMAS64LA | S32LA | S128LA | | | | | |
| 5 | SMAS64BA | S32BA | S128BA | | | | | |
| 6 | SMUX64LA | S32L | S128L | | | | | |
| 7 | SMUX64BA | S32B | S128B | | | | | |

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| IMPLEMENTED (NEW TO ARCH.) |
| IMPLEMENTED (DIFFERENT FROM ARCH.) |
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| E.MINOR | 0x0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|---------|---------|---------|-------|----|-------|----------|-----------|--------|
| 0x0 | EADDO | ESUBO | EANDN | | EADD | ESUB | ESHLIO | ESHRI |
| 1 | EADDUO | ESUBUO | EXOR | | ESHLQ | ESHLUO | | |
| 2 | ESETL | ESUBL | EOR | | | | ESHLIO | EUSHRI |
| 3 | ESEGE | ESUBGE | EAND | | ELMS | EULMS | | |
| 4 | ESETNE | ESUBE | EORN | | EASUM | ESELECTS | ESHUPPLEI | EROTRI |
| 5 | ESETNE | ESUBNE | EXNOR | | EROTL | ESHL | | |
| 6 | ESETUL | ESUBUL | ENOR | | ESHR | EUSHR | ESHLI | EMSHRI |
| 7 | ESETUGE | ESUBUGE | ENAND | | EROTR | EMSHR | | |

| B.MINOR | 0x0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|---------|-------|---|-------|-------|----|----|----|----|
| 0x0 | B | | | | | | | |
| 1 | BLINK | | | | | | | |
| 2 | BDOWN | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | BGATE | BBACK | | | | |
| 5 | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | | | | | | | | |

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| G.1 | Op0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|-----|-----|------|-------|----|-----------|------------|-------------|----|
| Op0 | | GMUL | GANDN | | | | GEXPANDI | |
| 1 | | | GXOR | | GCOMPRESS | GUCOMPRESS | | |
| 2 | | | GOR | | | | GUEXPANDI | |
| 3 | | | GAND | | | | | |
| 4 | | | GORN | | GEXPAND | GUEXPAND | GCOMPRESSI | |
| 5 | | | GKNOR | | | | GUCOMPRESSI | |
| 6 | | | GNOR | | | | | |
| 7 | | | GNAND | | | | | |

| G.2 | Op0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|-----|---------|-------|----|----|-----------|------------|-------------|--------|
| Op0 | | GMUL | | | GADD | GSUB | GEXPANDI | GSHRI |
| 1 | | GUMUL | | | GCOMPRESS | GUCOMPRESS | | |
| 2 | GSETL | | | | | | GUXPANDI | GUSHRI |
| 3 | GSETGE | | | | | | | |
| 4 | GSETE | | | | GEXPAND | GUEXPAND | GCOMPRESSI | GROTRI |
| 5 | GSETNE | | | | GROTL | GSHL | GUCOMPRESSI | |
| 6 | GSETUL | | | | GSHR | GUSHR | GSHLI | GMSHRI |
| 7 | GSETUGE | | | | GROTR | GMSHR | | |

| G.4-32 | Op0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|--------|---------|-------|----|----|-----------|------------|-------------|--------|
| Op0 | | GMUL | | | GADD | GSUB | GEXPANDI | GSHRI |
| 1 | | GUMUL | | | GCOMPRESS | GUCOMPRESS | | |
| 2 | GSETL | | | | | | GUXPANDI | GUSHRI |
| 3 | GSETGE | | | | | | | |
| 4 | GSETE | | | | GEXPAND | GUEXPAND | GCOMPRESSI | GROTRI |
| 5 | GSETNE | | | | GROTL | GSHL | GUCOMPRESSI | |
| 6 | GSETUL | | | | GSHR | GUSHR | GSHLI | GMSHRI |
| 7 | GSETUGE | | | | GROTR | GMSHR | | |

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| G.64 | Op0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|------|---------|-------|----|----|-----------|------------|---------------|--------|
| Op0 | | GMUL | | | GADD | GSUB | GEXPAND1 | GSHRI |
| 1 | | GUMUL | | | GCOMPRESS | GUCOMPRESS | | |
| 2 | GSETL | GDCV | | | | | GUXPAND1 | GUSHRI |
| 3 | GSETGE | GMDIV | | | | | | |
| 4 | GSETTE | | | | GEXPAND | GUEXPAND | GCOMPRESS1 * | GROTRI |
| 5 | GSETNE | | | | GROTL | GSHL | GUCOMPRESS1 * | |
| 6 | GSETUL | | | | GSHR | GUSHR | GSHLI | GMSHRI |
| 7 | GSETUGE | | | | GROTR | GMSHR | | |

a. The second half of GCOMPRESS1 would be equivalent to ESHRI. The second half of GUCOMPRESS1 would be equivalent to EUSHRI.

| G.128 | Op0 | 8 | 10 | 18 | 20 | 28 | 30 | 38 |
|-------|-----|---|----|----|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| Op0 | | | | | | | | GSHRI |
| 1 | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | GUSHRI |
| 3 | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | | | | GROTRI |
| 5 | | | | | GROTL | GSHL | | |
| 6 | | | | | GSHR | GUSHR | GSHLI | GMSHRI |
| 7 | | | | | GROTR | GMSHR | | |

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| IMPLEMENTED (PER ARCH. 41494) |
| IMPLEMENTED (NEW TO ARCH.) |
| IMPLEMENTED (DIFFERENT FROM ARCH.) |
| NOT IMPLEMENTED |

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XLU instruction encoding

This section describes the use of the instruction families in the XLU.

Shift/Rotate

Minor (E.MINOR)

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | |
|------------------|---------------|--------|----------|----|----|
| 32 | 5 | EROTL | ra | rb | rc |
| 32 | 7 | EROTR | ra | rb | rc |
| 40 | 5 | ESHL | ra | rb | rc |
| 32 | 1 | ESHLO | ra | rb | rc |
| 40 | 1 | ESHLUO | ra | rb | rc |
| 32 | 6 | ESHR | ra | rb | rc |
| 40 | 6 | EUSHR | ra | rb | rc |
| 40 | 7 | EMSHR | ra | rb | rc |

src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]

src2[5:0] = REG[rb][5:0]

src3[63:0] = EMSHR ? REG[rc][63:0] : 0

dst1[63:0] = REG[rc][63:0]

use src2 as shift/rotate amount

use src3 for fill values (this will need to be replicated for the high-order copy of the result)

(If implemented, ESHLO and ESHLUO need support outside of the XLU.)

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| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | |
|------------------|---------------|---------|----------|----|-----|
| 56 | 4 | EROTRI | ra | rb | imm |
| 48 | 6 | ESHLI | ra | rb | imm |
| 48 | 0 | ESHLIO | ra | rb | imm |
| 48 | 2 | ESHLIUO | ra | rb | imm |
| 56 | 0 | ESHRI | ra | rb | imm |
| 56 | 2 | EUSHRI | ra | rb | imm |
| 56 | 6 | EMSHRI | ra | rb | imm |

src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]

src2[5:0] = imm[5:0]

src3[63:0] = EMSHRI ? REG[rb][63:0] : 0

dst1[63:0] = REG[rb][63:0]

use src2 as shift/rotate amount

use src3 for fill values (this will need to be replicated for the high-order copy of the result)

For EROTLI(x), use EROTRI(((64 - x) & (64 - 1))).

(If implemented, ESHLIO and ESHLIUO need support outside of the XLU.)

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Minor (G.size)

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | Group Sizes |
|---------------|------------|-------|----------|----|----|-------------|
| 32 | 5 | GROTL | ra | rb | rc | 2..128 |
| 32 | 7 | GROTR | ra | rb | rc | 2..128 |
| 40 | 5 | GSHL | ra | rb | rc | 2..128 |
| 32 | 6 | GSHR | ra | rb | rc | 2..128 |
| 40 | 6 | GUSHR | ra | rb | rc | 2..128 |
| 40 | 7 | GMSHR | ra | rb | rc | 2..128 |

src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]

src2[6:0] = REG[rb][6:0]

src3[127:0] = GMSHR ? (REG[rc+1][63:0] | REG[rc][63:0]) : 0

dst1[127:0] = REG[rc+1][63:0] | REG[rc][63:0]

use (src2 & (size - 1)) as shift/rotate amount

use src3 for fill values

Generate a reserved instruction exception for G.1.

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | Group Sizes |
|---------------|------------|--------|----------|----|-----|-------------|
| 56 | 4, 5 | GROTRI | ra | rb | imm | 2..128 |
| 48 | 6, 7 | GSHLI | ra | rb | imm | 2..128 |
| 56 | 0, 1 | GSHRI | ra | rb | imm | 2..128 |
| 56 | 2, 3 | GUSHRI | ra | rb | imm | 2..128 |
| 56 | 6, 7 | GMSHRI | ra | rb | imm | 2..128 |

src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]

src2[6:0] = opminor[0] | imm[5:0]

src3[127:0] = GMSHRI ? (REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]) : 0

dst1[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]

use (src2 & (size - 1)) as shift/rotate amount

use src3 for fill values

Generate a reserved instruction exception for G.1.

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Generate a reserved instruction exception if opminor is odd and major is not G.128.

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For GROTLI(x), use GROTRI((size - x) & (size - 1)).

Expand

Minor (G.size))

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | Group Sizes |
|------------------|---------------|----------|----------|----|----|-------------|
| 32 | 4 | GEXPAND | ra | rb | rc | 1..64 |
| 40 | 4 | GUEXPAND | ra | rb | rc | 1..64 |

src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]

src2[6:0] = REG[rb][6:0]

dst1[127:0] = REG[rc+1][63:0] | REG[rc][63:0]

use (src2 & (2 * size - 1)) as shift amount

Generate a reserved instruction exception for G.128.

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | Group Sizes |
|------------------|---------------|-----------|----------|----|-----|-------------|
| 48 | 0, 1 | GEXPANDI | ra | rb | imm | 1..64 |
| 48 | 2, 3 | GUEXPANDI | ra | rb | imm | 1..64 |

src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]

src2[6:0] = opminor[0] | imm[5:0]

dst1[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]

use (src2 & (2 * size - 1)) as shift amount

Generate a reserved instruction exception for G.128.

Generate a reserved instruction exception if opminor is odd and major is not G.64.

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Compress

Minor (G.size)

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | Group Sizes |
|---------------|------------|------------|----------|----|----|-------------|
| 32 | 1 | GCOMPRESS | ra | rb | rc | 1..64 |
| 40 | 1 | GUCOMPRESS | ra | rb | rc | 1..64 |

src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]

src2[6:0] = REG[rb][6:0]

dst1[63:0] = REG[rc][63:0]

use (src2 & (2 * size - 1)) as shift amount

Generate a reserved instruction exception for G.128.

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | Group Sizes |
|---------------|------------|-------------|----------|----|-----|-------------|
| 48 | 4 | GCOMPRESSI | ra | rb | imm | 1..64 |
| 48 | 5 | GUCOMPRESSI | ra | rb | imm | 1..64 |

src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]

src2[6:0] = 0 | imm[5:0]

dst1[63:0] = REG[rb][63:0]

use (src2 & (2 * size - 1)) as shift amount

Generate a reserved instruction exception for G.128.

Note:

GCOMPRESSI.64(ra, rb, 64+x) is equivalent to ESHRI(ra+1, rb, x)

GUCOMPRESSI.64(ra, rb, 64+x) is equivalent to EUSHRI(ra+1, rb, x)

Therefore, we avoid wasting opcodes on these cases.

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Extract

Major

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|---------------|----------|----|----|----|
| 96 | 7 | GEXTRACT.128 | ra | rb | rc | rd |
| 96 | 15 | GUEXTRACT.128 | ra | rb | rc | rd |

$\text{src1}[255:0] = \text{REG}[\text{ra}+1][63:0] \mid \text{REG}[\text{ra}][63:0] \mid$
 $\text{REG}[\text{rb}+1][63:0] \mid \text{REG}[\text{rb}][63:0]$
 $\text{src2}[7:0] = \text{REG}[\text{rc}][7:0]$
 $\text{dst1}[127:0] = \text{REG}[\text{rd}+1][63:0] \mid \text{REG}[\text{rd}][63:0]$
 use src2 as shift amount

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------|----|----|-----|
| 96 | 16:23 | GEXTRACTI.size | ra | rb | rc | imm |
| 96 | 16:23 | GUEXTRACTI.size | ra | rb | rc | imm |

$\text{src1}[255:0] = \text{REG}[\text{ra}+1][63:0] \mid \text{REG}[\text{ra}][63:0] \mid$
 $\text{REG}[\text{rb}+1][63:0] \mid \text{REG}[\text{rb}][63:0]$
 $\text{src2}[7:0] = (\text{amount column of encoding table below})$
 $\text{size} = (\text{size column of encoding table below})$
 $\text{signed} = (\text{signed column of encoding table below})$
 $\text{dst1}[127:0] = \text{REG}[\text{rc}+1][63:0] \mid \text{REG}[\text{rc}][63:0]$
 use (src2 & (2 * size - 1)) as shift amount

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Encoding Table

| opcode | imm | signed | size | amount |
|------------|--------|--------|------|----------|
| 96 23 *111 | abcdef | s/u | 128 | 01abcdef |
| 96 22 *110 | abcdef | s/u | 128 | 00abcdef |
| 96 21 *101 | abcdef | s | 64 | x1abcdef |
| 96 20 *100 | abcdef | s/u | 64 | x0abcdef |
| 96 19 *011 | abcdef | u | 64 | x1abcdef |
| 96 18 *010 | 1bcdef | s | 32 | xx1bcdef |
| 96 18 *010 | 0bcdef | s/u | 32 | xx0bcdef |
| 96 17 *001 | 1bcdef | u | 32 | xx1bcdef |
| 96 17 *001 | 01cdef | s | 16 | xxx1cdef |
| 96 17 *001 | 00cdef | s/u | 16 | xxx0cdef |
| 96 16 *000 | 11cdef | u | 16 | xxx1cdef |
| 96 16 *000 | 101def | s | 8 | xxxx1def |
| 96 16 *000 | 100def | s/u | 8 | xxxx0def |
| 96 16 *000 | 011def | u | 8 | xxxx1def |
| 96 16 *000 | 0101ef | s | 4 | xxxxx1ef |
| 96 16 *000 | 0100ef | s/u | 4 | xxxxx0ef |
| 96 16 *000 | 0011ef | u | 4 | xxxxx1ef |
| 96 16 *000 | 00101f | s | 2 | xxxxxx1f |
| 96 16 *000 | 00100f | s/u | 2 | xxxxxx0f |
| 96 16 *000 | 00011f | u | 2 | xxxxxx1f |
| 96 16 *000 | 000101 | s | 1 | xxxxxxx1 |
| 96 16 *000 | 000100 | s/u | 1 | xxxxxxx0 |
| 96 16 *000 | 000011 | u | 1 | xxxxxxx1 |
| 96 16 *000 | 000010 | (trap) | | |
| 96 16 *000 | 000001 | (trap) | | |
| 96 16 *000 | 000000 | (trap) | | |

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Note that gextract(size) and guextract(size) are equivalent and are redundantly encoded for $1 \leq \text{size} \leq 64$.

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Note:

GEXTRACTL.128(ra, rb, rc, 128+x) is equivalent to GSHRI.128(ra, rc, x)

GUEXTRACTL.128(ra, rb, rc, 128+x) is equivalent to GUSHRI.128(ra, rc, x)

Therefore, we avoid wasting opcodes on these immediate cases.

Copy/Swap

Major

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|------------|----------|----|------|------|
| 0 | 9 | ECOPYSWAPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |

src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]

src2[5:0] = imm1[5:0]

src3[5:0] = imm2[5:0]

dst1[63:0] = REG[rb][63:0]

dst1[i] := src1[(i & src2) xor src3]

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------|----|------|------|
| 32 | 10 | GCOPYSWAPI.COPY | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 32 | 9 | GCOPYSWAPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 32 | 11 | GCOPYSWAPI.SWAP | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |

For GCOPYSWAPI.COPY:

src1[127:0] = x[63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]

src2[6:0] = 0 | imm1[5:0]

src3[6:0] = 0 | imm2[5:0]

dst1[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]

x[63:0] is 64 bits of *don't care*. Note that **ra** is used as a 64-bit operand, and may be even or odd.

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For GCOPYSWAPI:

```
src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]
src2[6:0] = 1 | imm1[5:0]
src3[6:0] = 0 | imm2[5:0]
dst1[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]
```

For GCOPYSWAPI.SWAP:

```
src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]
src2[6:0] = 1 | imm1[5:0]
src3[6:0] = 1 | imm2[5:0]
dst1[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]
dst1[i] := src1[(i & src2) xor src3]
```

The cases where the high or low 64-bits are replicated are both encoded as GCOPYSWAPI.COPY, where ra is an arbitrary 64-bit operand.

Note: For a pure 128-bit architecture, we would need four major opcodes to encode all of the combinations.

Transpose

Major

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------|----|----|-------|
| 32 | 0 | GSHUFFLEI.a.b.c | ra | rb | rc | imm |
| 32 | 0 | GSHUFFLEI.id | ra | rb | rc | imm=0 |

```
src1[127:0] = REG[ra][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]
src2[5:0] = imm[5:0]
dst1[127:0] = REG[rc+1][63:0] | REG[rc][63:0]
a = 2x, b = 2y, c = 2z
a <= 128, b >= 1, c >= 2
c < a/b
x <= 7, y >= 0, z >= 1
z < x-y
```

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src2 = id ? 0
: $(x^3 - 3x^2 - 4x)/6 - (z^2 - z)/2 + xz + y + 1$
src2 = 0 is a nop (useless here, but needed for shuffleimux)
1 <= src2 <= 56 is a shuffle/deal
src2 >= 57 causes a reserved instruction exception

dst1[i] := src1[src2 == 0 ? i : iperm(x, y, z, i)]

where iperm(x, y, z, i) is

$(i \& (((1 \ll (7 - x)) - 1) \ll x)) \mid$
 $((i \ll (x - z - y)) \& (((1 \ll z) - 1) \ll (x - z))) \mid$
 $((i \gg z) \& (((1 \ll (x - z - y)) - 1) \ll y)) \mid$
 $(i \& ((1 \ll y) - 1))$

i.e., preserve 7-x high bits, preserve y low bits, and rotate remaining middle bits right by z.

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| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | |
|------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------|----|-------|
| 48 | 4 | ESHUFFLEI.a.b.c | ra | rb | imm |
| 48 | 4 | ESHUFFLEI.id | ra | rb | imm=0 |

src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]

src2[5:0] = imm[5:0]

dst1[63:0] = REG[rb][63:0]

Interpret control as above, but require a <= 64, which is the same as control <= 35. Control >= 36 causes a reserved instruction exception.

dst1[i] := src1[src2 == 0 ? i : iperm(x, y, z, i)]

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Shuffle/mux

Major

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|---------------|----------|----|----|----|
| 32 | 7 | GTRANPOSE8MUX | ra | rb | rc | rd |
| 32 | 5 | G8MUX | ra | rb | rc | rd |

src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]

src2[5:0] = G8MUX ? 0 : 30

src3[191:0] = REG[rc][63:0] | REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]

dst1[127:0] = REG[rd+1][63:0] | REG[rd][63:0]

Use src2 for shuffle control.

Use src3 for mux control.

Replicate mux control for high and low 64 bits.

Note that GTRANPOSE8MUX is equivalent to GSHUFFLEI8MUX.64.1.8.

Note that G8MUX is equivalent to GSHUFFLEI8MUX.id.

use tmp[127:0] as follows:

tmp[i] := src1[src2 == 0 ? i : iperm(6, 0, 3, i)]

dst1[i] := tmp[(i & 0x78) |

(src3 [(i & 0x3f) + 128] << 2) |

(src3[(i & 0x3f) + 64] << 1) |

src3[i & 0x3f]]

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|---------------------|----------|----|----|-------|
| 32 | 1 | GSHUFFLEI4MUX.a.b.c | ra | rb | rc | imm |
| 32 | 1 | G4MUX | ra | rb | rc | imm=0 |

src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] | REG[ra][63:0]

src2[5:0] = imm[5:0]

src3[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]

dst1[127:0] = REG[rc+1][63:0] | REG[rc][63:0]

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Use src2 for shuffle control.

Use src3 for mux control.

Replicate mux control for high and low 64 bits.

Shuffle control >= 57 causes a reserved instruction exception.

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use tmp[127:0] as follows:

```
tmp[i] := src1[src2 == 0 ? i : iperm(x, y, z, i)]
dst1[i] := tmp[(i & 0x7c) |
               (src3[(i & 0x3f) + 64] << 1) |
               src3[i & 0x3f]]
```

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|----------------|----------|----|----|----|
| 0 | 7 | ETRANSPOSE8MUX | ra | rb | rc | rd |
| 0 | 5 | E8MUX | ra | rb | rc | rd |

```
src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]
src2[5:0] = E8MUX ? 0 : 30
src3[191:0] = REG[rc][63:0] | REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]
dst1[63:0] = REG[rd][63:0]
```

Use src2 for shuffle control.

Use src3 for mux control.

Note that ETRANSPOSE8MUX is equivalent to ESHUFFLEI8MUX.64.1.8.

Note that E8MUX is equivalent to ESHUFFLEI8MUX.id.

use tmp[63:0] as follows:

```
tmp[i] := src1[src2 == 0 ? i : iperm(6, 0, 3, i)]
dst1[i] := tmp[(i & 0x38) |
               (src3[i + 128] << 2) |
               (src3[i + 64] << 1) |
               src3[i]]
```

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|---------------------|----------|----|----|-------|
| 0 | 1 | ESHUFFLEI4MUX.a.b.c | ra | rb | rc | imm |
| 0 | 1 | E4MUX | ra | rb | rc | imm=0 |

```
src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]
src2[5:0] = imm[5:0]
src3[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]
dst1[63:0] = REG[rc][63:0]
```

Use src2 for shuffle control.

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Use src3 for mux control.
 Shuffle control ≥ 36 causes a reserved instruction exception.
 use tmp[63:0] as follows:

```
tmp[i] := src1[src2 == 0 ? i : iperm(x, y, z, i)]
dst1[i] := tmp[(i & 0x3c) |
               (src3[i + 64] << 1) |
               src3[i]]
```

Select

Major

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|----------|----------|----|----|----|
| 32 | 2 | GSELECT8 | ra | rb | rc | rd |

```
src1[127:0] = REG[ra][63:0] | REG[rb][63:0]
src2[63:0] = REG[rc][63:0]
dst1[127:0] = REG[rd+1][63:0] | REG[rd][63:0]
dst1[i] := src1[(src2[(i/8) * 4 + 3 : (i/8) * 4] * 8) + (i%8)]
```

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| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | |
|------------------|---------------|----------|----------|----|----|
| 40 | 4 | ESELECT8 | ra | rb | rc |

```
src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]
src2[31:0] = REG[rb][31:0]
dst1[63:0] = REG[rc][63:0]
dst1[i] := src1[(src2[(i/8) * 4 + 2 : (i/8) * 4] * 8) + (i%8)]
```

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Bit Field Withdraw/Deposit

Major

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|--------|----------|----|------|------|
| 32 | 12 | GDEPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 32 | 13 | GUDEPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 32 | 14 | GWTHI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 32 | 15 | GUWTHI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 32 | 3 | GMDEPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |

$src1[127:0] = REG[ra+1][63:0] \mid REG[ra][63:0]$

size = (size column of encoding table below)

$src2[5:0] = imm1[5:0]$

$src3[5:0] = imm2[5:0]$

$src4[127:0] = GMDEPI ? (REG[rb+1][63:0] \mid REG[rb][63:0]) : 0$

$dst1[127:0] = REG[rb+1][63:0] \mid REG[rb][63:0]$

use (src2 & (size - 1)) as shift amount

use (src3 & (size - 1)) as fsize - 1

use src4 for fill values

| Opcode column | Opcode row | Code | Operands | | | |
|------------------|---------------|--------|----------|----|------|------|
| 0 | 12 | EDEPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 0 | 13 | EUDEPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 0 | 14 | EWTHI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 0 | 15 | EUWTHI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |
| 0 | 3 | EMDEPI | ra | rb | imm1 | imm2 |

$src1[63:0] = REG[ra][63:0]$

size = (size column of encoding tablebelow)

$src2[5:0] = imm1[5:0]$

$src3[5:0] = imm2[5:0]$

$src4[63:0] = EMDEPI ? REG[rb][63:0] : 0$

$dst1[63:0] = REG[rb][63:0]$

use (src2 & (size - 1)) as shift amount

use (src3 & (size - 1)) as fsize - 1

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use src4 for fill values (this will need to be replicated for the high-order copy of the result)

Encoding Table

| size | amount | fsize-1 | imm1 | imm2 |
|------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| 64 | abcdef | pqrstu | abcdef | pqrstu |
| 32 | 0bcdef | 0qrstu | 1bcdef | 1qrstu |
| 16 | 00cdef | 00rstu | 11cdef | 11rstu |
| 8 | 000def | 000stu | 111def | 111stu |
| 4 | 0000ef | 0000tu | 1111ef | 1111tu |
| 2 | 00000f | 00000u | 11111f | 11111u |
| 1 | 000000 | 000000 | 111111 | 111111 |

Range restriction:

$0 \leq \text{amount} < \text{size}$

$1 \leq \text{fsize} \leq \text{size} - \text{amount}$

The group size can be obtained from imm1 & imm2 as follows:

| imm1 & imm2 | size |
|-------------|------|
| 0xxxxx | 64 |
| 10xxxx | 32 |
| 110xxx | 16 |
| 1110xx | 8 |
| 11110x | 4 |
| 111110 | 2 |
| 111111 | 1 |

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Illegal combinations occur when $\text{amount} + \text{fsize} - 1 \geq \text{size}$, or equivalently, $(\text{imm1} \& (\text{size} - 1)) + (\text{imm2} \& (\text{size} - 1)) \geq \text{size}$, in which case a reserved instruction exception is generated.

The only group size which is allowed for the *E* instructions is 64. So, for the *E* instructions, an exception is generated if the high bit of imm1 &

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imm2 is 1. This is in addition to the other illegal combinations noted above.

Group sizes 1 through 64 are allowed for the *G* instructions.

Note that all valid combinations in which **imm2** = **11111** are nops, since **fsiz** - 1 will be **size** - 1 so **fsiz** will equal **size** and **amount** will have to be zero (so **imm1** will be **64** - **size**). The one valid combination for a group size of 1 is merely another instance of this, so it isn't treated specially here. If we want to disallow this entire class, the test (**imm2** = **11111**) is trivial.

Notes:

- ⌘ **DEP** is equivalent to group left shift by (**size** - **fsiz**) followed by a group signed right shift by (**size** - **fsiz** - **amount**).
- ⌘ **UDEP** is equivalent to group left shift by (**size** - **fsiz**) followed by a group unsigned right shift by (**size** - **fsiz** - **amount**).
- ⌘ **MDEP** is equivalent to group left shift by (**size** - **fsiz**) followed by a group unsigned right shift by (**size** - **fsiz** - **amount**). However, only **fsiz** bits of each result are changed (i.e., those bits taken from **ra**). The remaining (**size** - **fsiz**) bits of each result are preserved.
- ⌘ **WTH** is equivalent to group left shift by (**size** - **fsiz** - **amount**) followed by a group signed right shift by (**size** - **fsiz**).
- ⌘ **UWTH** is equivalent to group left shift by (**size** - **fsiz** - **amount**) followed by a group unsigned right shift by (**size** - **fsiz**).

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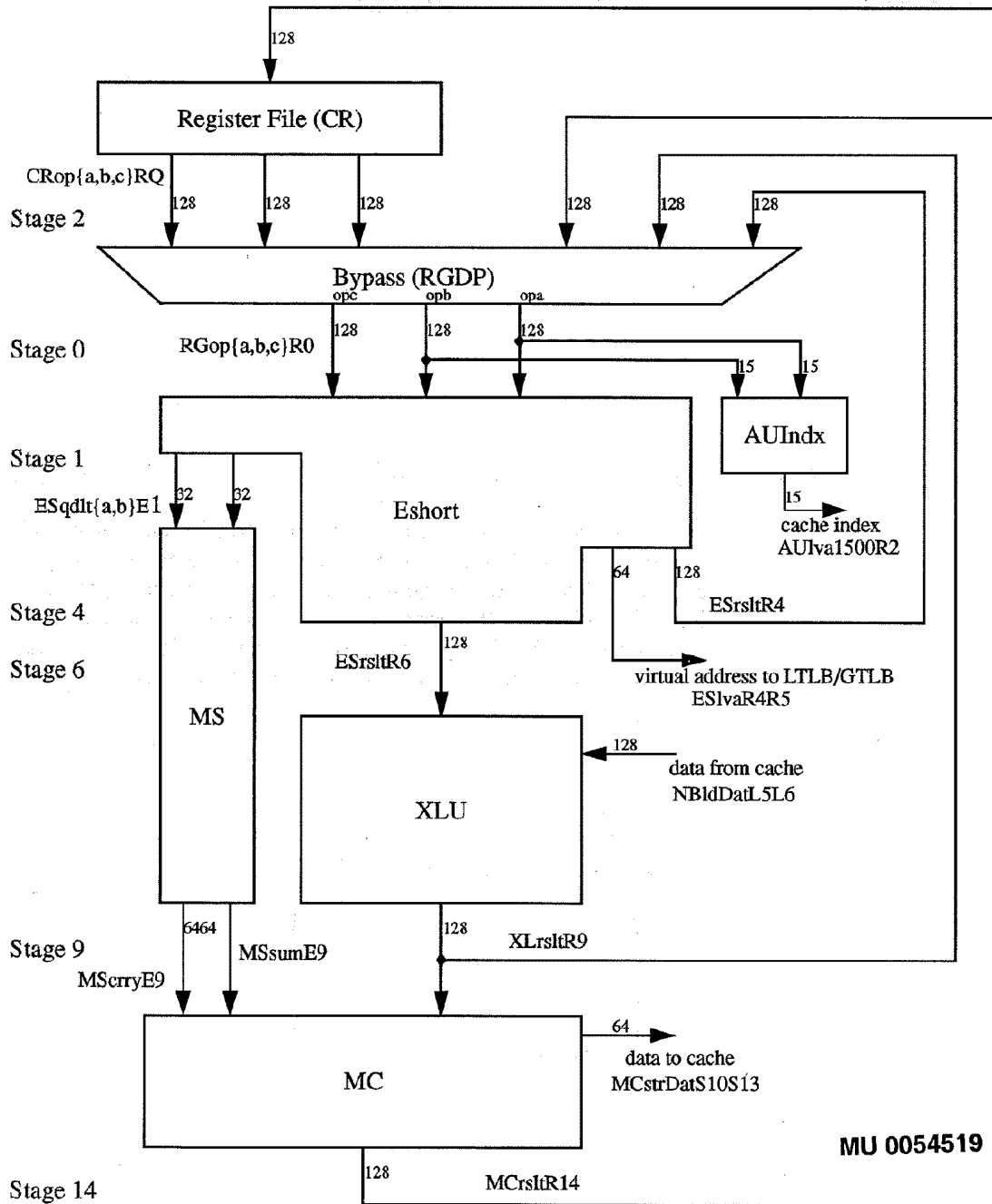
Pipeline Organization

The Terpsichore architecture performs all instructions in a given cylinder as if executed one-by-one, in order, with precise exceptions always available. Consequently, code which ignores the Euterpe pipeline implementation will still perform correctly. However, the highest performance of the Euterpe processor is achieved only by matching the ordering of instructions to the characteristics of the pipeline.

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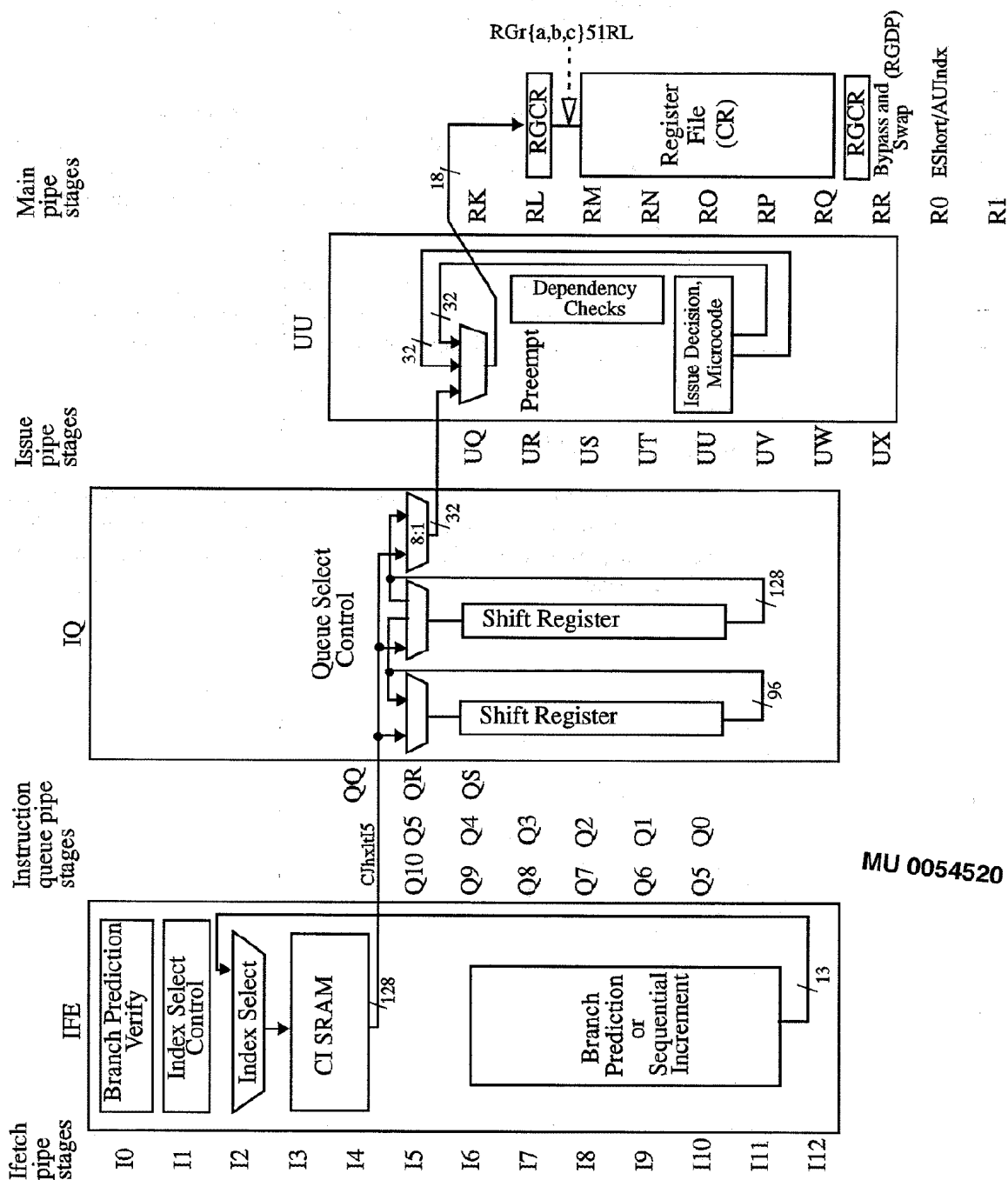
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Main Pipeline



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Instruction Pipeline



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Branch Prediction

The branch predictor guesses the next instruction cache index based on the outcome of the last time this branch was encountered by the cylinder. The definition of *this branch* is based on the cache index of the branch instruction.

There is only one branch prediction register per cylinder. Only immediate backwards branches are predicted. If there is no entry in the prediction register for this branch, either because the register was overwritten or because this is the first time that this branch is encountered, no prediction is attempted.

False prediction can happen if the next branch after a predicted branch has the same cache index as the predicted branch. This might occur if the instruction stream has changed or through cache index aliasing.

PC Catchup Condition

Any time a predicted branch is taken, calculations of the current program count (pc) fall behind. This condition is allowed to persist until a full pc is needed, say by a branch. To catch up, the instruction fetch pipeline stalls for one cycle.

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Chapter 4

Memory Hierarchy

This chapter discusses the memory interfaces, translation mechanisms, caches, and non-blocking load buffer of the Euterpe microarchitecture.

The facilities of the memory management system are themselves memory mapped, in order to provide for the manipulation of these facilities by high-level language, compiled code. See page 32 for a complete list. The table also shows whether the data access type is *Fast on-chip*, or through the *non-blocking load buffer* (NB). For more information on the NB, see page 44.

In MicroUnity's system software, privileged software runs at level 2 or 3. Virtual addresses are 64 bits wide.

The translation mechanism allows full fine-grained (down to 64 byte) control of access to the virtual address space. For information on address translation, see page 36.

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Physical Address Space

| Region | Space | Address | Data Access Type | Executable Code Space |
|------------------------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Non-interleaved Hermes (0-7) | 0x0 | 0x000000000000 | | |
| Channel 0 Module 0 | | 0x000000000000 | NB | X ^a |
| Channel 0 Module 1 | | 0x000800000000 | NB | X ^a |
| Channel 1 Module 0 | | 0x002000000000 | NB | X ^a |
| Channel 1 Module 3 | | 0x003800000000 | NB | X ^a |
| Euterpe DRAM | 0x20 | 0x200000000000 | NB | X |
| Euterpe ROM (Octlet Access) | 0x40 | 0x400000000000 | NB | X |
| Euterpe ROM (Byte Access) | 0x50 | 0x500000000000 | NB | |
| Cerberus (Serial Bus) | 0x60-0x67 | 0x600000000000 | | |
| Net 0 Node 0 | | 0x600000000000 | NB | X ^a |
| Net 0 Node 1 | | 0x600000080000 | NB | X ^a |
| Net 0 Node 255 | | 0x600007f80000 | NB | X ^a |
| Net 1 Node 0 | | 0x600008000000 | NB | X ^a |
| Net 65535 Node 255 | | 0x67ffff800000 | NB | X ^a |
| On-chip Space | 0x80 | 0x800000000000 | | |
| Global TLB | | 0x8000007f0000 | NB | |
| Local TLB | | 0x8000007f8000 | NB | |
| Daemon Access | | 0x8000007ffd80 | NB | |
| Keypad/Display | | 0x8000007ffdc0 | NB | |
| Current cylinder | | 0x8000007ffe00 | Fast ^b | |
| Cycle count | | 0x8000007ffe40 | Fast ^b | |
| Timer match | | 0x8000007ffe80 | Fast ^b | |
| Watchdog match | | 0x8000007ffec0 | Fast ^b | |
| Event register | | 0x8000007fff00 | Fast ^b | |
| Event mask | | 0x8000007fff40 | Fast ^b | |
| Exception Address | | 0x8000007fff80 | Fast ^b | |
| Exception Status | | 0x8000007fffc0 | Fast ^b | |
| Data Buffer | | 0x800000800000 | Fast ^b | |
| Data Cache | | 0x800000804000 | Fast ^b | |
| Data Cache Tags | | 0x800000a00000 | NB | |
| Instruction Buffer | | 0x800000c00000 | NB ^c | X |
| Instruction Cache | | 0x800000c04000 | NB ^c | X |
| Instruction Cache Tags | | 0x800000e00000 | NB | |

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a. Executable if devices are present.

b. Fast on-chip access, not through NB load buffer. 2 major cycle Load latency; 4 major cycle Store latency.

c. Instruction fetch is Fast.

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Unused Address Space

The following table shows the results of accessing portions of the assigned address space that are unused.

| Unused Space (Addr 47:0) | Result |
|---|---|
| Hermes (0x000000000000..0x1fffffffff) - The amount of unused space depends on which channels are enabled. | |
| Implemented device (0x000000000000..0x003fffffffff) | If the device doesn't exist, machine check. Otherwise, the result will be device-specific (within modules space) either returning 0 or machine check. |
| Unimplemented device (0x004000000000..0x1fffffffff) | machine check |
| DRAM - The amount of space depends on the configuration set in Cerberus register 10 | wrapping - no unused space |
| ROM (Octlet Access) | wrapping - no unused space |
| ROM (Byte Access) | wrapping - no unused space |
| Cerberus (0x6000000000..0x6700000000) | If the device doesn't exist, machine check. Otherwise, the result will be device-specific (within devices space) either returning 0 or machine check. |
| unused (0x680000000000..0x7fffffffff) | exception 11 (see page 41) |
| On-chip Space (0x800000000000 + offset below) | |
| Global TLB (0x000000..0x7effff) | exception 11 (see page 41) |
| Global TLB (0x7f0800..0x7ff7ff) | exception 11 (see page 41) |
| Local TLB (0x7f8008..0x7ff803f) | returns 0 |
| Local TLB (0x7ff8040..0x7ffdf7f) | exception 11 (see page 41) |
| Daemon Access (0x7ffdb8..0x7ffdbf) | returns 0 |
| Keyboard/Display (0x7ffdc8..0x7ffdff) | returns 0 |
| Current cylinder (0x7ffe08..0x7ffe3f) | returns 0 |
| Cycle count (0x7ffe48..0x7ffe7f) | returns 0 |
| Timer match (0x7ffe88..0x7ffebf) | returns 0 |
| Watchdog timer (0x7ffec8..0x7ffeff) | returns 0 |
| Event register (0x7fff08..0x7fff0f) | returns 0 |
| Event register (0x7fff18..0x7fff1f) | returns 0 |
| Event register (0x7fff28..0x7fff2f) | returns 0 |
| Event register (0x7fff38..0x7fff3f) | returns 0 |
| Event mask (0x7fff48..0x7fff7f) | returns 0 |
| Exception Address (0x7fff88..0x7fffbf) | returns 0 |
| Exception Status (0x7fffc8..0x7fffff) | returns 0 |
| Data Buffer (0x808000..0x89ffff) | exception 11 (see page 41) |
| Data Tags | repeats every 4K |
| Instruction Buffer (0xc08000..0xdfffff) | exception 11 (see page 41) |
| Instruction Tags | repeats every 4K |
| unused (0x800001000000..0xfffffffff) | exception 11 (see page 41) |

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Hermes

MicroUnity's Hermes high-bandwidth channel architecture is designed to provide ultra-high bandwidth communications between devices within the Terpsichore architecture. Euterpe has two Hermes channels. They comply with the specifications of the Terpsichore architecture. Channels 2 through 7 are not used in this implementation.

Euterpe DRAM

Euterpe DRAM is a JEDEC standard synchronous DRAM interface. There are 32 bidirectional data pins. Euterpe can address up to 16 MB of DRAM. Some of the characteristics of the DRAM interface, including the size, are programmable through Cerberus register 10. See "Cerberus Registers" on page 60 for details on Cerberus register fields and settings.

Euterpe ROM

Euterpe ROM is electronically programmable. It has two areas which can be accessed by octlet reads. In the byte-access area, only the low-order byte of the octlet is read. The process for writing the EE prompt is vendor-specific, so it is the responsibility of software to define the correct process.

The processor boots from a starting address in ROM. Euterpe can address up to 128KB of ROM.

Cerberus

Euterpe's implementation of the Cerberus serial bus is described in "Cerberus Registers" on page 58.

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On-chip Space

On-chip Space includes the GTLB, LTLB, system registers, Data Buffer,

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Cache, and Tags, and Instruction Buffer, Cache, and Tags.

Euterpe's implementation details for the on-chip area are described below. Note that On-chip Space cannot be cached.

GTLB

The global translation lookaside buffer (GTLB) address given in the table on page 32 is the base physical address for the GTLB entries. There are 64 shared entries, with entry 0 being assigned to the base GTLB address.

Bits 10:5 of the physical address are the logical address of each GTLB entry. Each entry has four fields in it, addressed by bits 4:3 of the physical address. Bits 2:0 of the physical address are ignored.

Each field must be read or written as an individual 64-bit field. The significant bits of the **protection** field are 15:0. The significant bits of the **xor**, **match**, and **mask** fields are 63:6.

| offset | Entry 0..63 | | | | |
|--------|-------------|-------|----|------------|-------|
| 0x00 | 63 | 16 | 15 | protection | 0 |
| 0x08 | 63 | xor | | | 6 5 0 |
| 0x10 | 63 | match | | | 6 5 0 |
| 0x18 | 63 | mask | | | 6 5 0 |

Each entry's starting address is offset 0x20 from the start of the previous entry. For example, entry 1 has an offset of 0x20 from the base GTLB address, entry 2 has an offset of 0x40, and so on. The offset of each field shown in the diagram is added to the starting physical address for each entry.

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GTLB Protection Field Format

| bit | Meaning in HW |
|--------|---|
| 15 | high priority if set, low if not |
| 14..13 | Caching control 00 ignored 01 exception 7 10 force non-blocking ld/st if cache miss 11 force non-blocking ld/st |
| 12 | Detail access, exception 6 if set |
| 11..8 | ignored by hardware |
| 7..6 | Read access, causes exception 5 if > privilege level |
| 5..4 | Write access, causes exception 5 if > privilege level |
| 3..2 | Execute access, causes exception 5 if > privilege level |
| 1..0 | Gateway access, causes exception 5 if > privilege level |

See page 41 for more details on exceptions.

LTLB

There is one local translation lookaside buffer (LTLB) for each cylinder. The xor field is used for address translation. The mask, match, and protection fields of each LTLB are unused. Writing a non-zero value to them has no effect.

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----|-------------------|----|----|--------------------|----|----|-----|----|----|-------------------------|---|
| 63 | mask ^a | 48 | 47 | match ^a | 32 | 31 | xor | 16 | 15 | protection ^a | 0 |
|----|-------------------|----|----|--------------------|----|----|-----|----|----|-------------------------|---|

a. In Euterpe, the mask field is always 0xffff, and the match and protection fields are always 0x0000.

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Address Translation

There are three levels of addresses in Euterpe: local virtual (LVA), global virtual (GVA), and the physical address (PA). User code uses LVA's. LVA's are translated to GVA's using the data in the LTLB to translate the upper 16 bits of the LVA.

The LTLB can remap memory segments of 2^{48} bytes or larger. There is one LTLB for each cylinder, which allows all five cylinders to execute in the same memory segment, and be mapped to the same, or different, GVA's.

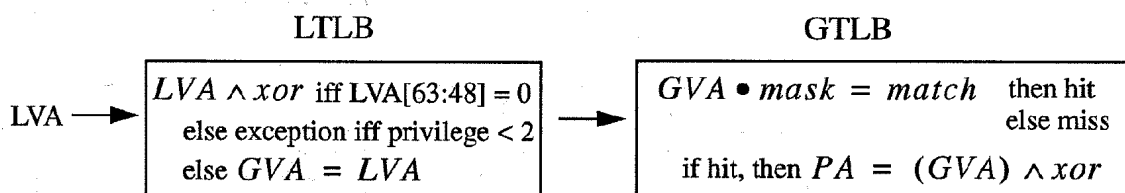
GVA's are directly accessible to privileged system software through the

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default identity translation. The GVA can be translated to a PA using the data in the GTLB to translate the upper 58 bits of the GVA.

The GTLB entries can remap memory segments of 64 bytes (a cache line) or larger.

With the following formula, you can determine a physical address from the virtual address using the data from the LTLB and GTLB.



This design allows for page sizes to be any power of 2, beginning at a page size of 64 bytes. Good use is made of this in the MicroUnity system software.

If multiple hits occur in the GTLB, the results are unpredictable.

System Registers

The system registers provide access to vital information and control for Event Handling (see page 51), Keypad and Display, and the Watchdog Timer.

In general, accesses to system registers take the same time as accesses to the cache, with loads from system registers having a fixed latency of 2.

The contents of system registers are undefined on reset. For more information on reset, see "Reset and Error Recovery" on page 53

Daemon Access Register

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This 64 bit register is shared by all cylinders.

Storing the memory mapped physical address of an I/O device's Event register to the Daemon access register causes Euterpe to issue a blocking read of the I/O device's register. The blocking read returns when the register is non-zero. Euterpe will automatically *OR* the contents of the I/O device's Event register into its own Event register.

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Keypad/Display

This 64 bit register is shared by all cylinders.

The LED/keypad interface register has been assigned physical address 8000007ffdc0. This register will have access characteristics similar to that of the flash ROM and GTLB, for example it is accessed via the non-blocking load buffer, but should be much faster than a Cerberus register.

The layout is as follows (where bit numbers refer to what you will get using a little endian load):

| bits | function | note |
|--------|--------------|--|
| 63..48 | keypad state | This field is read-only. Actual mapping of keys to bit position is controlled by pcb routing. Current plan on hestia is to implement only 12 of the 16 possible buttons. The decoder should correctly report two buttons pressed simultaneously. |
| 47..43 | reserved | |
| 42..40 | intensity | Controls display intensity by modulating driver pulsewidth. |
| 39..32 | colon/am/pm | mapping between bits and segments controlled by pcb, TBD. |
| 31..24 | 10's Hrs | bits 0..7 of this byte control segments a : g respectively. See LED spec for details. |
| 23..16 | 1's Hrs | bits 0..7 of this byte control segments a : g respectively. See LED spec for details. |
| 15..8 | 10's Mins | bits 0..7 of this byte control segments a : g respectively. See LED spec for details. |
| 7..0 | 1's Mins | bits 0..7 of this byte control segments a : g respectively. See LED spec for details. |

Hardware provides the basic scanning function for both the display matrix and the keypad matrix. Software is responsible for polling the keypad state and debouncing the buttons. For the display, software must encode the required segment patterns and update the display register whenever the display is to change. If the colon needs to flash, it's a software responsibility. The intensity field controls the on/off ratio of the scan circuit over an 8 : 1 range. The display can be blanked completely by writing a segment pattern of all 0's.

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Current Cylinder

This 64 bit register is unique to each cylinder, and contains the cylinder number. This register is read-only. Writes are ignored.

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Cycle Count Register

This 32 bit register is shared by all cylinders. The register is accessed as a 64 bit register, but the most significant 32 bits are unused and always return zero.

This register counts minor cycles (ticks).

Timer Match Register

This 32 bit register is shared by all cylinders. The register is accessed as a 64 bit register, but the most significant 32 bits are unused, and always return zero.

When the contents of the Cycle count register and the Timer match register are equal, bit 0 in the Event register is set. The bit remains set until it is cleared by software or a reset occurs.

Watchdog Match Register

This 32 bit register is shared by all cylinders. The register is accessed as a 64 bit register, but the most significant 32 bits are unused, and always return zero.

The Watchdog match register detects hangs in software or hardware. The value should continue to be reset to stay ahead of the cycle count. If the contents of the Cycle count register and the Watchdog match register are equal, it causes a machine check. See page 55 for more information on machine checks.

The register is disabled until a first value is written to it. If the register is not enabled, then code can run without this check.

Event Register

This 64 bit register is shared by all cylinders.

The Event register appears at four locations in the Event register field, with slightly different side-effects on read and write operations for each location. The offsets shown in the table below are from the Event register

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address shown on page 32.

| offset | side effect on read | side effect on write |
|--------|--------------------------------------|--|
| 0x00 | none: return Event register contents | normal: sets or clears bits in the register contents by writing 1 or 0 |
| 0x10 | none: return Event register contents | normal: sets or clears bits in the register contents by writing 1 or 0 |
| 0x20 | reads as zero | sets bits in the register for bits set in the operand value |
| 0x30 | reads as zero | clears bits in the register for bits set in the operand value |

The normal way to acknowledge events is with the bit clear above. This will leave any bits set which are not being explicitly acknowledged.

Neither blocking reads nor blocking writes are supported to the event register. Accesses to the blocking address, as defined in *Terpsichore System Architecture*, are treated exactly the same as accesses to the non-blocking address.

Event Mask Register

Each cylinder has a unique 64 bit Event mask register. Each of these registers appears at the same location in the physical address space. One cylinder, therefore, cannot access another cylinder's Event mask register.

The event mask register determines which interrupts a cylinder can receive. Each bit corresponds to a bit in the Event register.

If a cylinder sets a bit in the event register, for which there is no event mask bit uncovered, and later a second cylinder uncovers that bit, the second cylinder will be interrupted.

Exception Address Register

This 64 bit register is shared by all cylinders, and is locked by a cylinder until it returns from its event handler.

The Exception address register contains the Local Virtual Address (LVA) of the data or branch target of the instruction that caused the addressing exception. Exceptions 1 through 12 are addressing exceptions. See the table below for more information.

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Exception Status Register

This 64 bit register is shared by all cylinders, and is locked when a cylinder takes an exception until it returns from its event handler.

This register contains the cylinder number, access type, and exception number.

The Exception Status register is read-only and has the format shown below. A table of the *exception number* interpretation follows the format diagram.

| | | | | | | | |
|------|----|----|----|-----------------|-------------|------------------|---|
| 63 | 48 | 47 | 40 | 39 | 32 | 31 | 0 |
| zero | | | | cylinder number | access type | exception number | |

The exception numbers are one greater than those shown in the Terpsichore Architecture to make room for a *no exception* at number 0. This means that, if you are in an event handler, and the exception number is 0 here, then an interrupt put you in the event handler.

As well, since the LTLB is a subset LTLB, some of its exception numbers were not needed for this implementation, and those numbers are being used for different purposes. Numbers that have been replaced are marked with an asterisk (*) are described in more detail following the table.

| number | exception |
|--------|---|
| 0 | None |
| 1 | Access disallowed by tag |
| 2 | Access detail required by tag |
| 3 | Cache coherence action required by tag |
| 4 | Access disallowed by virtual address |
| 5 | Access disallowed by global TLB |
| 6 | Access detail required by global TLB |
| 7 | Cache coherence action required by global TLB |
| 8 | Global TLB miss |
| 9 * | Base not equal to lva exception |
| 10 * | Lva not equal to pa exception |

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| | |
|------|--|
| 11 * | Illegal Physical Address |
| 12 | Local TLB miss |
| 13 | Floating-point arithmetic ^a |
| 14 | Fixed-point arithmetic |
| 15 | Reserved instruction |

a. Reserved. Floating-point arithmetic is not currently implemented.

New Exceptions

Exception 9 occurs if LVA[63:47] does not equal Ra[63:47] when the priority level is 2 or 3. Ra is the base register.

Exception 10 occurs if:

- ※ LVA[47] does not equal PA[47]
- ※ LVA[47] equals 1, but LVA[15:6] does not equal PA[15:6].

Exception 11 occurs if:

- ※ a program accesses one of the unused address spaces noted on page 33
- ※ the cache is set to zero, but the GTLB is set to cache.

Multiple Exceptions

Exceptions are precise, so if multiple exception conditions occur, they must all be for the same instruction. Since only one exception can be reported at a time, multiple exceptions in multiple cylinders will serialize to use the exception status register.

Buffers, Caches, and Tags

There are separate buffers, caches, and tags for data and instructions. Their characteristics are mostly the same. The differences are listed below.

Buffers and Caches

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The Data buffer and cache share the same physical space. Through Cerberus Register 6, the relative sizes of the buffer and cache can be varied, though the total size of the Data buffer and cache together is always 32KB. The same is true of the Instruction buffer and cache. The caches are separately programmable. The size of the Data and Instruction tags vary according to the size of Data and Instruction caches. The legal

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configurations appear below.

| Configuration | Buffer size | Cache size | D/ICache starting physical address | D/ITag starting physical address | Cache tag index |
|---------------|-------------|------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 0 | 32KB | 0KB | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| 12 | 28KB | 4KB | 0x800000807000/ 0x800000c07000 | 0x800000a00300/ 0x800000e00300 | LVA[11:6] |
| 13 | 24KB | 8KB | 0x800000806000/ 0x800000c06000 | 0x800000a00200/ 0x800000e00200 | LVA[12:6] |
| 14 | 16KB | 16KB | 0x800000804000/ 0x800000c04000 | 0x800000a00000/ 0x800000e00000 | LVA[13:6] |

The caches are memory-mapped and write-back. The cache line size is 64 bytes. The Data cache is virtually indexed and physically tagged, and the Instruction cache is virtually indexed and virtually tagged.

Data Cache Tag

The Data cache tag is 48 bits wide. Bits 47:6 of the Data cache tag are the physical tag. Bits 5:0 of the cache tag are the protection field. The data cache tag is accessed as an octlet, though bits 63:48 are not implemented and will always return all zeros.

The following table shows the format of the Data cache tag protection field.

| bit | Protection Field |
|------|-------------------------------------|
| 5 | Caching control, exception 3 if set |
| 4 | Detail access, exception 2 if set |
| 3..1 | ignored by hardware |
| 0 | used for dirty bit by hardware |

Initial values of bits 5 and 4 are inherited from the GTLB, but software can write to them to change the values. The data cache tag cannot cause an exception 1 in this implementation.

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Instruction Cache Tag

The Instruction cache tag is 64 bits wide. Bits 63:12 of the Instruction cache tag are the global virtual tag. Bits 7:0 of the cache tag are the protection field. Bits 11:8 are unused.

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The following table shows the format of the Instruction cache tag protection field.

| bit | Protection Field |
|------|---|
| 7 | Caching control, exception 3 if set |
| 6 | Detail access, exception 2 if set |
| 5..2 | ignored by hardware |
| 1..0 | Execution access, causes exception 1 if > privilege level |

Initially, the values of bits 7:2 are zero. The value of the Exception access field [1:0] is inherited from the GTLB, but software can write to it to change the value.

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Non-blocking Load Buffer

Queueing multiple memory requests is useful for maintaining a high throughput to and from the DRAM and Hermes channel devices without stalling the processor unnecessarily. Multiple memory requests can be issued to these devices, allowing overlap, or pipelining, of the latencies for a single request.

Requests can be sent until the non-blocking load buffer or device queues are full or until a register dependency is identified. If a register dependency occurs, the affected thread is stalled until the dependency is satisfied.

All non-blocking accesses go through the non-blocking load buffer. For incoherent (cached) accesses, the cache controller uses the non-blocking load buffer for fills and writebacks. For uncached physical accesses, each request causes an entry in the non-blocking load buffer. *No-allocate* accesses in the case of a cache miss also cause an entry in the non-blocking load buffer.

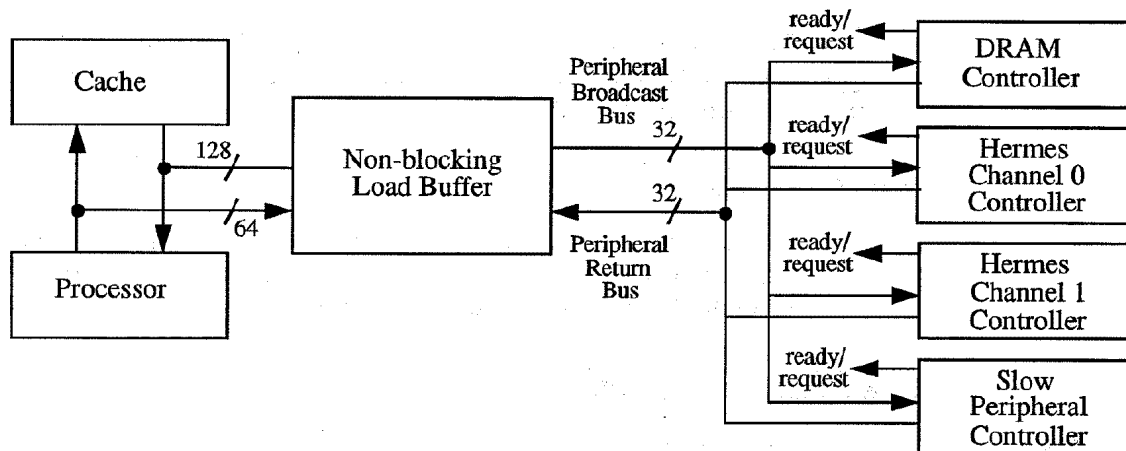
If the GTLB protection information indicates that the memory region is cached, a separate piece of logic, the cache controller, translates a cache miss into a cache fill (four non-blocking load buffer entries) and, if the dirty bit is set, a cache writeback (another four non-blocking load buffer entries).

The non-blocking load buffer consists of 16 entries. The non-blocking priority bit in the GTLB determines whether a request is low or high priority. If the number of valid entries exceeds the value in the NB Priority

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field in Cerberus register 6, low priority requests will be rejected and the cylinder will stall. All cache fills and writebacks are low priority. If memory management is disabled, all requests are low priority.

Non-blocking Load Buffer Connections



Cache and Processor

PBB and PRB

All non-blocking load entries are serviced by the Peripheral Broadcast Bus (PBB) and the Peripheral Response Bus (PRB). Requests are sent from the NB load buffer to the peripheral controllers on the PBB and received back on the PRB.

Peripheral Controllers

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There are five independent queues: two for DRAM, one for each Hermes channel, and one for all other requests. In the non-blocking control path, there is no cache miss queue.

The hardware has no special interlocks to prevent reordering if the software sets up multiple mappings onto the same physical address with different priorities. If memory management is not enabled, all transactions will be considered low priority.

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DRAM Controller

There are two DRAM queues, which allows transactions to be split into high and low priority with high-priority transactions being handled before low-priority. Transactions are placed in the queue according to their GTLB priority setting.

The number of DRAM banks is determined by the memory configuration set in Cerberus octlet 10. The DRAM controller accepts two queue requests for each DRAM bank.

Hermes Controllers

All transactions to Hermes will be treated with a single priority and handled in the order they arrive from their respective queues. The Hermes controllers accept up to eight queue requests each.

Slow Peripheral Controller

Query:

description of slow per. con.

All transactions the slow devices (such as GTLB) will be treated with a single priority and handled in the order they arrive from their respective queues. The Slow Peripheral controller handles only one queue request at a time.

Query:

description of ready signal

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Format of a Non-blocking Entry

A non-blocking entry has three parts, the data, physical address, and additional information which is described in the table below.

| | | | | | | | | |
|-----|------|---|----|----------|----|----|-------------|---|
| 127 | Data | 0 | 63 | PA[47:0] | 16 | 15 | Information | 0 |
| | 128 | | 48 | | | 16 | | 0 |

| Bits | Information field |
|--------|---|
| 15..14 | Reserved |
| 13 | No allocate |
| 12..10 | Cylinder number |
| 9..7 | Size code ^a |
| 6 | Set to indicate big-endian, otherwise it is little-endian |

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| | |
|---|---|
| 5 | Set to indicate the data is signed |
| 4 | Set to indicate icache, otherwise it is dcache |
| 3 | Set to indicate high priority, otherwise it is low priority |
| 2 | Set to indicate a cache request |
| 1 | Set to indicate store |
| 0 | Set to indicate load |

- a. Three bits make up the memory size code: 001 = byte; 010 = doublet; 011 = quadlet; 000 = octlet; 100 = hexlet. 101, 110, and 111 do not occur.

The non-blocking load buffer entry is not directly software accessible. Additional important information, the register number or cache index to which the data returns, is a part of a NB transaction but is stored elsewhere.

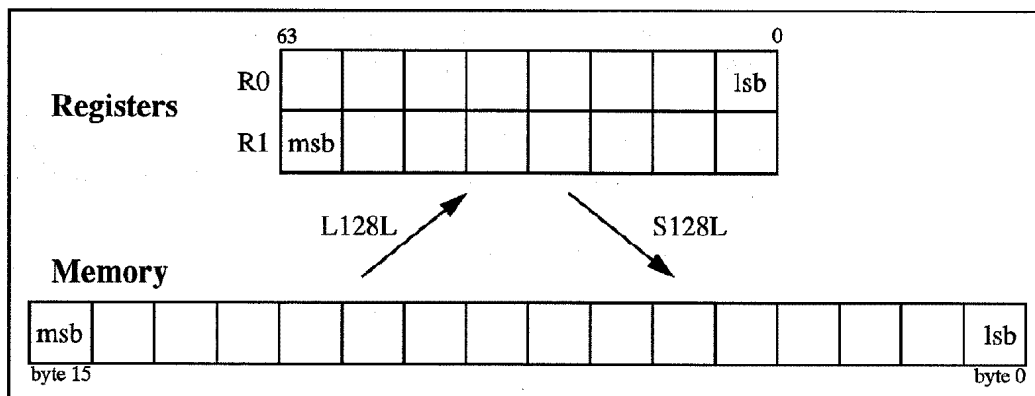
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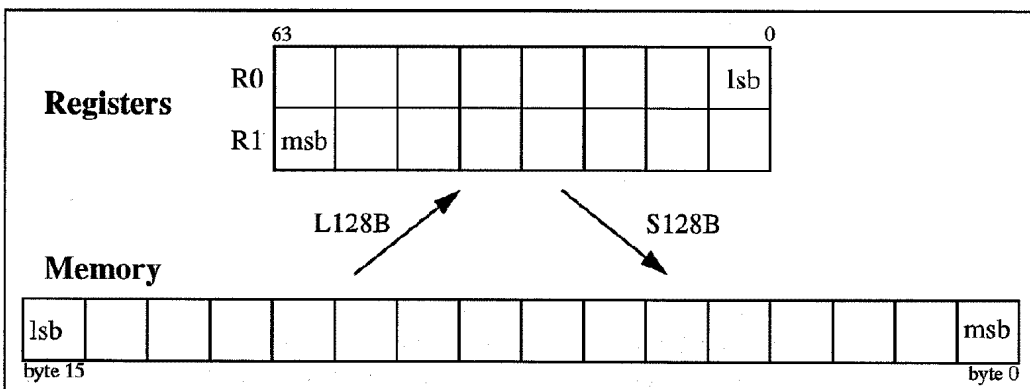
Writing/Reading Memory (Endianness)

Data can be loaded and stored either *little-endian* or *big-endian*. Each can best be described by a picture showing how the data is mapped using, for example, a store and load instruction.

Little-endian (128-bit)



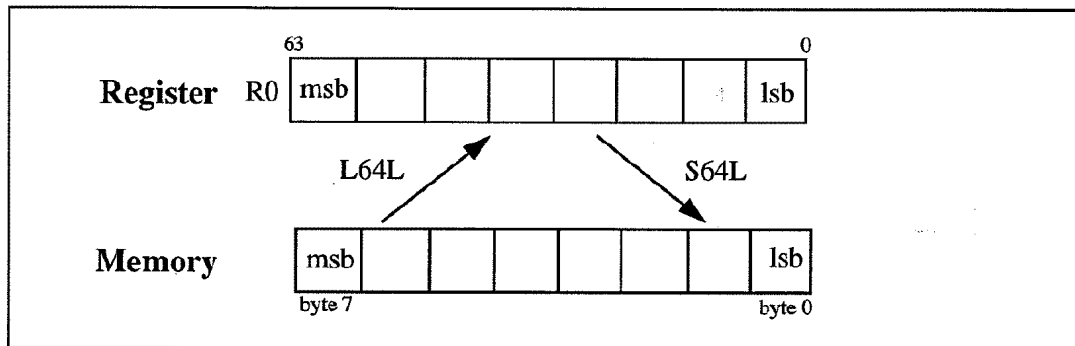
Big-endian (128-bit)



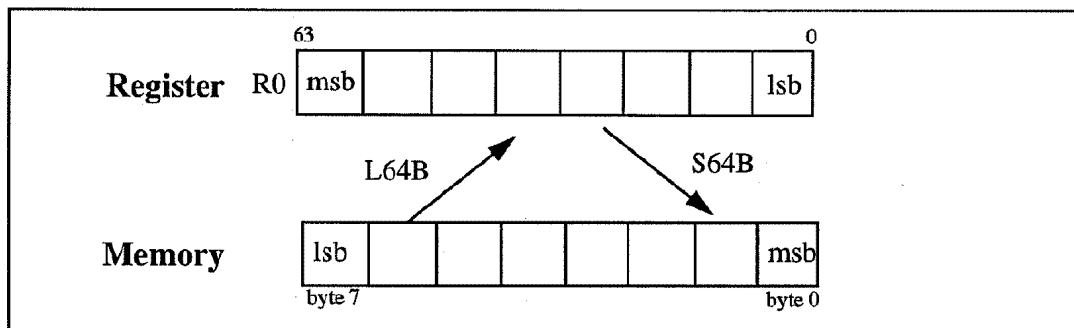
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Little-endian (64-bit)



Big endian (64-bit)



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Chapter 5

Event Handling

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There are two types of events recognized by Euterpe: exceptions and interrupts.

Exceptions signal several kinds of events: (1) events that indicate failure of the software or hardware, such as arithmetic overflow, (2) events that are hidden from the virtual process model, such as translation buffer misses, (3) events that occur infrequently, but may require corrective action. See the list of exceptions on page 46.

Interrupts are a means of communication and cylinder control. There are three type of interrupts (1) I/O interrupts, (2) Timer interrupts, and (3) inter-cylinder signalling interrupts. Interrupts are described in more detail below.

Each of these types of events require the interruption of the current flow of execution, handling of the exception or interrupt, and in some cases descheduling of the current task and rescheduling of another.

When a cylinder handles an event, all of the cylinder's resources are available for the handling of the event, except for the ability of that cylinder to handle additional events. Euterpe prevents additional interrupts, to the affected cylinder, from being recognized until the cylinder returns from its interrupt handler. Only one exception, for all of Euterpe, is handled at a time. Other cylinders continue their normal execution, and can

also handle interrupts. If another cylinder encounter an exception, however, its execution is stalled until the first cylinder returns from handling its exception. Additional exceptions to the affected cylinder, prior to its return, cause a machine check. See page 53 for more information about machine checks.

Event Handling Mechanism

The event mechanism is similar for exceptions and interrupts. The first 160 bytes of the data buffer are reserved for each cylinder's new and old program counter (PC) and register 1 (R1) contents.

| offset | contents |
|--------|--|
| 0x00 | Pre-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 0 |
| 0x08 | Pre-Event R1 for Cylinder 0 |
| 0x10 | Post-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 0 |
| 0x18 | Post-Event R1 for Cylinder 0 |
| 0x20 | Pre-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 1 |
| 0x28 | Pre-Event R1 for Cylinder 1 |
| 0x30 | Post-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 1 |
| 0x38 | Post-Event R1 for Cylinder 1 |
| 0x40 | Pre-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 2 |
| 0x48 | Pre-Event R1 for Cylinder 2 |
| 0x50 | Post-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 2 |
| 0x58 | Post-Event R1 for Cylinder 2 |
| 0x60 | Pre-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 3 |
| 0x68 | Pre-Event R1 for Cylinder 3 |
| 0x70 | Post-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 3 |
| 0x78 | Post-Event R1 for Cylinder 3 |
| 0x80 | Pre-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 4 |
| 0x88 | Pre-Event R1 for Cylinder 4 |
| 0x90 | Post-Event PC and Privilege for Cylinder 4 |
| 0x98 | Post-Event R1 for Cylinder 4 |

The privilege level occupies the least significant 2 bits of the *Pre-Event PC*

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and Privilege fields.

When an exception occurs, the pc of the current instruction, with the current privilege level, and the contents of register 1 are saved in the appropriate cylinder's *Pre-Event PC and Privilege* and R1 fields. When an interrupt is recognized, the same is true, except the pc is set for the next instruction.

The cylinder enters Event Mode, which prevents the cylinder from receiving another event until it returns from handling the current event. The cylinder's Post-Event pc, privilege, and R1 contents are loaded, and execution begins in Event Mode.

The BBACK instruction is used to return from event handling. This instruction causes the Pre-Event pc and privilege, and the Pre-Event R1 contents to be loaded, and the cylinder exits event mode. The event handler, subject to constraints imposed by memory management, may alter the Pre-Event pc, privilege, and R1 values.

System Registers in Events

Several system registers are involved in causing and handling events.

If the event is an exception, the Exception status register is loaded. If the exception is an addressing exception, the Exception address register is also loaded.

If the event is an interrupt, a bit is set in the Event Register. Which event bits are recognized, on a per-cylinder basis, is controlled by the Event Mask Register. Other registers get involved in setting the bits in the Event Register, namely the Event Daemon Access Register, and the Timer and Timer Mask Registers. The Event Register is also writable.

The functions of each of these registers are described in more detail on page 37.

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Chapter 6

Reset and Error Recovery

Some internal and external events cause the Euterpe processor to invoke a reset, logic clear, or machine check. One example of these events is the initial power up of the processor, which automatically causes a reset.

These operations consist of a full or partial reset of critical machine state, including initialization of each cylinder to begin fetching instructions from the Start Vector Address (see page 57).

Software may determine whether a reset, logic clear, or machine check has occurred by reading the value of the Cerberus control register (register 6):

- if the *reset* and *clear* bits are set, a reset has occurred
- if the *reset* and *clear* bits are cleared, a machine check has occurred
- if the *reset* bit is cleared, and the *clear* bit is set, a logic clear has occurred.

When either a reset or machine check is indicated, the contents of the Cerberus status register (register 7) contain more detailed information on the cause.

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Reset

A reset is caused by Euterpe power up, the detection of an over-temperature condition, or a hardware error. A reset sets the Cerberus registers to their default states, performs a circuit reset and then performs a logic clear.

Power Up

At power up a reset is automatically performed. The default knob settings in the Cerberus registers are nominal so that Euterpe will warm up faster.

Under certain extreme temperature and low voltage conditions the beginning of reset will be delayed until the chip has warmed up enough to be operational.

Over-temperature Condition

An over-temperature condition is a special example of a hardware-detected error. An over-temperature reset overrides the default geographical digital knob settings in the Cerberus registers, setting them to the lowest power levels. The knob settings are found in Cerberus registers 21 through 29.

Hardware Error

If the reset is caused by a hardware error, there will be additional information about the cause of the reset in Cerberus register 7. This includes:

Over-temperature (Bit 61)

If Euterpe detects an over-temperature condition, it resets itself to a minimum power state.

Double Machine Check (Bit 60)

If two machine checks occur, and the second machine check occurs before the first machine check is acknowledged (by writing a value of 0 to Cerberus register 7), Euterpe will reset.

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Logic Clear

A logic clear is performed by the hardware during a reset. It can also be triggered by setting the *clear* bit in Cerberus register 6.

Effect

Logic clear resets the ECL logic, but does not change the Cerberus registers, except as noted below. However, the state of register file, system registers, tlbs, tags, and buffers is undefined. The state of DRAM can be preserved if the interface has been fenced off prior to the logic clear. To fence off the interface, set the *output set high* bit in Cerberus register 10.

Bits 55:0 in Cerberus register 6 are set to their default state, disabling memory management and Hermes channels. The logic clear also transfers any deferred writes into the Cerberus registers.

After a logic clear, each cylinder comes up in *event mode*. There can be no events in a cylinder until software in that cylinder executes a BBACK instruction. The event register, event mask register, the timer register, and the timer match register must be initialized before the BBACK.

The watchdog machine check will be disabled by a logic clear until the first write to the watchdog register.

Duration

The logic clear causes a concurrent PLL and logic reset. The PLL reset lasts 4607 Cerberus cycles while the logic reset lasts 9215 Cerberus cycles.

About 50 Cerberus clocks after a logic clear completes, the Hermes channels can be enabled. This time is necessary for the interface to synchronize clocks with any devices on the channel.

Machine Check

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Detected hardware errors invoke a machine check.

While it is possible that much of the state of the machine, for example the main register files, would be preserved after a machine check, this is not

guaranteed. Therefore, it is safest to consider the state after a machine check to be similar to the state after a logic clear.

Hardware Error

The cause of a machine check is indicated in Cerberus register 7. A write of zeros to register 7 acknowledges the machine check and clears the machine check cause bits. Causes include:

Exception in event mode (Bit 58)

This bit indicates that a cylinder encountered an exception while in *event mode*.

Watchdog time-out error (Bit 57)

This bit indicates that a machine check occurred because the contents of the watchdog match register equaled the cycle count. This machine check can occur only after the watchdog match register has been initialized.

Cerberus transaction error (Bit 56)

This bit indicates that Euterpe detected an error on the Cerberus bus. This includes parity errors and time-outs.

Hermes channel check byte error (Bit 55)

This bit indicates that Euterpe encountered a check byte error in a packet on an enabled Hermes channel. The *machine check detail* field in Cerberus register 7 indicates which Hermes channel encountered the error.

Hermes channel command error (Bit 54)

This bit indicates that Euterpe encountered an illegal command in a packet on an enabled Hermes channel. The *machine check detail* field in Cerberus register 7 indicates which Hermes channel encountered the error.

Hermes channel time-out error (Bit 53)

This bit indicates that Euterpe encountered a watchdog time-out when Hermes transactions were pending.

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Start Vector Address

When a power up, reset, logic clear, or machine check occurs, each Euterpe cylinder begins executing at the Start Vector Address. There is only one Start Vector Address for all the cylinders.

The Start Vector Address normally points to the first instruction in the Programmable ROM. If Euterpe's SN3 pin is pulled high, the Start Vector Address is in Cerberus Space.

Power Down

Euterpe's power consumption and clock speed are programmable through Cerberus registers. In *power down* mode, Euterpe can be programmed to operate at minimum power by setting the appropriate Cerberus registers. However, even at the lowest power with default clock settings, Euterpe is still functional.

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Chapter 7

Cerberus Registers

MicroUnity's Cerberus serial bus architecture is designed to provide bootstrap resources, configuration and diagnostic support for MicroUnity's Terpsichore system architecture.

Cerberus registers are internal read-only and read-write registers which provide a mechanism to query and control the configuration of the devices in the system. By use of these registers, a user of the system may tailor the use of the facilities for maximum performance and utility. Conversely, a supplier of a system component may modify facilities in the device without compromising compatibility with earlier implementations. These registers are accessed via the Cerberus serial bus.

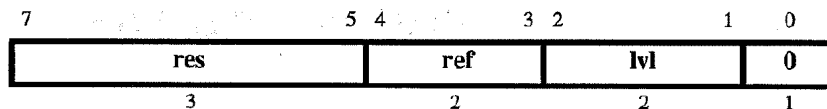
Euterpe implements Cerberus as it is described in *MicroUnity Terpsichore System Architecture*. See the section Cerberus Serial Bus in that document for a more detailed explanation of how Cerberus works.

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Power and Swing Calibration Registers

Euterpe uses a set of calibration registers to control the power and voltage levels used for internal high-bandwidth logic and memory. Eight-bit fields separately control the power and voltage levels used in a portion of the

Euterpe circuitry. Each such field used to control digital circuitry (labeled *knob*) contains configuration data in the following format:



Please see the section Power and Swing Calibration Registers in *Terpsichore System Architecture* for information on the fields in these registers.

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Cerberus Registers

The Euterpe-implemented format of the Cerberus registers is described in the table below. If a reset does not initialize the field to a value, or if initialization is not required by this specification, a * is placed in or appended to the value field.

| octlet 0 | bits | field name | value (hex) | range | interpretation |
|----------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|-------|--|
| | 63 : 16 | architecture code | 0x00 40 a3 24 69 93 | | Identifies processor device as compliant with MicroUnity Euterpe processor architecture. |
| | 15 : 0 | architecture revision | 01 00 | | Device complies with architecture version 1.0. |

| octlet 1 | bits | field name | value (hex) | range | interpretation |
|----------|---------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-------|--|
| | 63 : 16 | implementor code | 0x00 40 a3 d2 b6 7f | | Identifies Euterpe processor device as implemented by MicroUnity. MU 0054551 |
| | 15 : 0 | implementor revision | 01 00 | | Implementation version 1.0. |

| octlet 2 | bits | field name | value (hex) | range | interpretation |
|----------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|-------|--|
| | 63 : 16 | manufacturer code | 0x00 40 a3 69 db 3f | | Identifies initial manufacturer of Euterpe processor device implemented by MicroUnity as MicroUnity. |
| | 15 : 0 | manufacturer revision | 01 00 | | Manufacturing version 1.0. |

| octlet 3 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|----------|---------|-----------------|-------|-------|---|
| | 63 : 16 | serial number | 0 | | This device has no serial number capability. |
| | | dynamic address | 0 | | This device has no dynamic addressing capability. |

| octlet 4 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|----------|---------|--------------------|-------|-------|---|
| | 63 : 60 | A | 4 | 0..15 | Size of a Hermes address |
| | 59 : 56 | log ₂ W | 3 | 0..15 | Size of a Hermes word |
| | 55 : 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved for definition in later revision of Euterpe architecture |

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| octlet 5 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|----------|--------|------------|-------|-------|---|
| | 63 : 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved for definition in later revision of Euterpe architecture |

| octlet 6 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|----------|---------|---------------------------------|-------|-------|--|
| | 63 | reset | 1 | 0..1 | Set to invoke device's circuit reset |
| | 62 | clear | 1 | 0..1 | Set to invoke device's logic clear |
| | 61 | selftest | 0 | 0..1 | Set to invoke device's selftest; bits 60..48 may indicate depth of selftest |
| | 60 | defer writes | 0* | 0..1 | Set to cause writes to octlets 21..33 to be deferred until the next logic-clear or non-deferred write |
| | 59 : 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 52 : 48 | NB priority | 16 | 0..16 | Set to the number of non-blocking entries that can be used by low-priority requests |
| | 47 : 34 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved for additional Hermes channel disable bits |
| | 33 | Hermes channel 1 disable | 1 | 0..1 | Set to cause input channel 1 to be ignored and idles to be generated. Upon clearing the bit, the input channel phase adjustment is reset, and after a suitable delay, the input and Hermes output channel links are available for use. |
| | 32 | Hermes channel 0 disable | 1 | 0..1 | Set to cause input channel 0 to be ignored and idles to be generated. Upon clearing the bit, the input channel phase adjustment is reset, and after a suitable delay, the input and Hermes output channel links are available for use. |
| | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 30 | memory management enable | 0 | 0 | Enable memory management |

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| octlet 6 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|----------|---------|---|-------|--------|--|
| | 29 : 25 | icache^a configuration | 0 | n | Set instruction cache size to 2^n bytes. The following are legal 5-bit values for n and their interpretation: 0: no cache (32K buffer) 12: 4K cache (28K buffer) 13: 8K cache (24K buffer) 14: 16K cache (16K buffer) |
| | 24 : 20 | dcache^a configuration | 0 | n | Set data cache size to 2^n bytes. The following are legal 5-bit values for n and their interpretation: 0: no cache (32K buffer) 12: 4K cache (28K buffer) 13: 8K cache (24K buffer) 14: 16K cache (16K buffer) |
| | 19 : 16 | channel under test | 0* | 0..1 | Channel on which cidle 0 and cidle 1 are transmitted in place of normal idle pattern (0, 255), and from which raw input bytes are sampled |
| | 15 : 8 | cidle 0 | 0* | 0..255 | Value transmitted on idle Hermes output channel when output clock zero (0). |
| | 7 : 0 | cidle 1 | 255* | 0..255 | Value transmitted on idle Hermes output channel when output clock one (1). |

a. Changes to the cache configuration take effect immediately.

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| octlet 7 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|-----------------------|------|---------------------------------|-------|--------|--|
| 63 | | reset/clear/selftest complete | 1 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a reset, clear or selftest operation has been completed. |
| 62 | | reset/clear/selftest status | 1 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a reset, clear or selftest operation has been completed successfully. |
| 61 | | meltdown detected | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when the meltdown detector has caused a reset. |
| 60 | | double machine check | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a double machine check has caused a reset. |
| 59 | | other reset cause | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is reserved for indicating additional causes of reset. |
| 58 | | exception in exception mode | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when an exception occurs and the thread was already in exception mode. |
| 57 | | watchdog timeout error | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a watchdog timeout has caused a machine check. |
| 56 | | Cerberus transaction error | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a Cerberus transaction error or parity error has caused a machine check. |
| 55 | | Hermes channel check byte error | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a Hermes channel check byte error has caused a machine check. |
| 54 | | Hermes channel command error | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a Hermes channel command error has caused a machine check. |
| 53 | | Hermes channel timeout error | 0 | 0..1 | This bit is set when a watchdog timeout error has occurred (bit 57) and there is a pending Hermes transaction. |
| 52 : 48 | | 0 | 0* | 0 | Reserved for other machine check causes. |
| 47 : 32 | | machine check detail | 0* | 0..3 | Indicates which Hermes channel encountered an error. |
| 31 : 16 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| 15 : 8 | | raw 0 | * | 0..255 | Value sampled on specified Hermes channel when input clock is zero (0). |
| 7 : 0 | | raw 1 | * | 0..255 | Value sampled on specified Hermes channel immediately following sample value in raw 0 register. |

- a. To clear the bits in octlet 7 after a machine check, you use an octlet store of all 0x0. Storing any other values is undefined.

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| octlet 8..9 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|-------------|--------|------------|-------|-------|--|
| | 63 : 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved for additional access to physical addresses |

| octlet 10 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|---|
| | 63 : 56 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 55 | preasap | 1 | 0..1 | Precharge as soon as possible |
| | 54 | bsa 20 | 0 | 0..1 | Bank select from address bit 20 |
| | 53 | restart | 0 | 0..1 | Rising edge initiates DRAM part reset sequence and mode register load. |
| | 52 | refresh enable | 0 | 0..1 | Enables automatic refreshing |
| | 51 | sleep | 0 | 0..1 | Rising edge initiates transition to clock suspend mode; falling edge initiates transition from clock suspend to normal operating mode. Should be 0 at restart time. Note: Be careful to write restart bit to 0 so it won't reset part and reload Mode register; and be careful not to change other control bits. |
| | 50 : 46 | ratio m1 | 12 | 3..31 | (ratio m1 + 1) is the ratio of SOFA clock to DRAM clock frequency. Counting nominal SOFA clock frequency as 1296 MHz, nominal value the ratio is 13, with a range from 4 to 32, sdclock frequency is ~99.7 MHz. |
| | 45 : 38 | refresh mult m1 | 97 | 0..255 | Do an autorefresh sequence every (ratio m1 + 1)*16*(refresh mult m1 + 1) SOFA clock cycles. There's a built in prescaler of 16. |
| | 37 | output set high | 0 | 0..1 | Sets all DR interface signals to logical high. ^b |
| | 36 | clock invert | 0 | 0..1 | Invert sdclock waveform (negative edge is first after control/address/data changes) |
| | 35 : 31 | clock offset p1 | 6 | 1..ratio m1 | (clock offset p1 - 1) is the number of SOFA clock periods between the control/address/data changing and the next edge of sdclock; rising for clock invert = 0; falling for clock invert = 1. |
| | 30 : 26 | clock half-period | 6 | 1..value | Time clock is high (clock invert = 0) or low (clock invert = 1). value is: (ratio m1 + 1 - clock offset p1) |
| | 25 : 21 | sample offset p1 | 5 | 0..ratio m1 | (sample offset p1 - 1) is the number of SOFA clock periods between the control/address/data changing and when incoming data will be sampled. A value of 0 means sampling will occur 1 clock before control/address/data. ^c |
| | 20 : 19 | tRCD | 3 | 1..max ^d | Time of the tRCD parameter in DRAM clock cycles coded as integers. |
| | 18 : 17 | tWR | 2 | 1..max ^d | Time of the tWR parameter in DRAM clock cycles coded as integers. |

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| octlet 10 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|---------------------|--|
| | 16 : 14 | tAA | 3 | 1..max ^d | Time of the tAA parameter in DRAM clock cycles coded as integers. tAA (CAS latency) goes into the Mode register as is. |
| | 13 : 11 | tRP | 4 | 1..max ^d | Time of the tRP parameter in DRAM clock cycles coded as integers. |
| | 10 : 8 | tRRD | 3 | 1..max ^d | Time of the tRRD parameter in DRAM clock cycles coded as integers. |
| | 7 : 4 | tRCm1 | 9 | 1..max ^d | Time of the tRCm1 parameter in DRAM clock cycles coded as integers. tRCm1 (tRC-1) generally is not unique, but is input to save computation. |
| | 3 | part 64m | 0 | 0..1 | Value indicates parts are 1 = 64Mbit or 0 = 16 Mbit. |
| | 2 | bl4 | 0 | 0..1 | Parts configuration uses: 0 = all 32 data pins, consequently burst length is 2; 1 = only 16 of 32 data pins, so burst length is 4. Burst Length (coded) goes into the Mode register. |
| | 1 : 0 | part width | 0 | 0..1 | Part width code: 0b00 means by-16; 0b01 means by-8; 0b10 means by-4; 0b11 is illegal and not used. |

- All registers are read-write. The *restart* bit (53) only has an effect when it is written from 0 to 1. The *sleep* bit (51) only has an effect when it changes. Other bits are effective immediately, but you probably don't want to change much without restarting the sdram. So a normal sequence would be to write configuration, electrical and logical parameters with restart 0, then write the same parameters with restart 1 to restart the sdram and reload the Mode register. For more information on Euterpe DRAM, see page 34.
- Sets all DR interface signals to logical high, even if sddrive would indicate bidirectional data i/o's are not being driven. Since this signal originates in CMOS SOFA, it is immune to logic level disruptions occurring in ECL SOFA during power level changes. A power-down sequence would first set *sleep* high, then set *output set high* to high, then power levels can be changed without disrupting DRAM data or putting spurious signals on the DRAM pins. The power up sequence would first ensure that power levels are stable, then set *output set high* to low, then set *sleep* to low. If no timing parameters have changed, the DRAM will be ready for read and write. If timing parameters have changed, these will have to be written to appropriate registers and the *restart* bit changed from low to high to reload the Mode register.
- Note that a zero or unit delay logical simulation in which the data sample point follows the sdclock rising edge will fail. Although in the high-speed nominal configuration the data sample point will follow sdclock rising edge because the delay through the part and buffers is greater than one sdclock period.
- Legal values are 1:max but should correspond to timing parameter's actual values and actual clock period. When the part is operating from a very low frequency clock, the values will be 1, except for tRCm1=0. tCCD is implied and is always 2.

| octlet 11..20 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|---------------|--------|------------|-------|-------|---|
| | 63 : 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved for expansion of Cerberus registers upward or knobcity registers downward. |

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| octlet 21 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | iobyte0 quadrature |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | iobyte0 drive current |
| | 15 : 8 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |
| | 7 : 0 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |

- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

| octlet 22 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | north ttl buffers |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | iobyte0 generic bias |
| | 15 : 8 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |
| | 7 : 0 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |

- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

| octlet 23 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | dcache, tag |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | Reserved knob |
| | 15 : 8 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |
| | 7 : 0 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |

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- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

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| octlet 24 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | pll1 |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 15 : 8 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 7 : 0 | | 224 | 0..255 | south ttl buffers |

- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

| octlet 25 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | gtlb |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | Reserved knob |
| | 15 : 8 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |
| | 7 : 0 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |

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- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

| octlet 26 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | pll0, special clock input buffer |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 15 : 8 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 7 : 0 | | 224 | 0..255 | CMOS register file |

- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

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| octlet 27 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | icache, tag |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | clock tree |
| | 15 : 8 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |
| | 7 : 0 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |

- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

| octlet 28 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | stack sensor iobyte1 generic bias |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | iobyte1 quadrature |
| | 15 : 8 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |
| | 7 : 0 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |

- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

| octlet 29 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | 63 : 56 | | 224 | 0..255 | Reserved |
| | 55 : 48 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 47 : 40 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 39 : 32 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 31 : 24 | | 224 | 0..255 | Geographical digital knob settings |
| | 23 : 16 | | 224 | 0..255 | iobyte1 drive current |
| | 15 : 8 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |
| | 7 : 0 | | 0 | 0..255 | unused |

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- a. If a reset occurs due to an over-temperature condition, Euterpe overrides the reset defaults of the knob settings to a value of 1 (minimum power).

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| octlet 30 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|-----------|---------|------------------------------------|-------|--------|---|
| | 63 : 62 | Hermesskew lvl | 0 | 0..3 | Swing control field (lvl) for Hermes skew control circuits |
| | 61 : 60 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 59 : 57 | global resistor | 7 | 0..7 | Global resistor (power) setting |
| | 56 | resistor select | 0 | 0..1 | Mux selection (enable). Default value of 0 indicates that the resistor setting will be taken from the pads. If the value is changed to 1, the value will be taken from the global resistor setting. |
| | 55 : 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 52 : 48 | termination fine-tuning | 20 | 0..31 | Set based on value from PMOS drive strength, used to fine-tune resistor values in Hermes termination |
| | 47 : 45 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 44 : 40 | process control | 20 | 16..31 | Set based on value read from PMOS drive strength, used to fine-tune resistor values in knob settings |
| | 39 : 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 36 : 32 | PMOS drive strength | 20* | 12..27 | This read-only field indicates the drive strength of PMOS devices expressed as a digital binary value. |
| | 31 : 28 | swing 3 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage swing knob setting 3 |
| | 27 : 24 | swing 2 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage swing knob setting 2 |
| | 23 : 20 | swing 1 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage swing knob setting 1 |
| | 19 : 16 | swing 0 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage swing knob setting 0 |
| | 15 : 12 | reference 3 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage reference knob setting 3 |
| | 11 : 8 | reference 2 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage reference knob setting 2 |
| | 7 : 4 | reference 1 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage reference knob setting 1 |
| | 3 : 0 | reference 0 | 15 | 0..15 | Voltage reference knob setting 0 |

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| octlet 31 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|-----------|---------|------------------------|-------|----------|---|
| | 63 : 48 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved ¹ |
| | 47 : 43 | PLL1 divide ratio | 5* | 3..13 | PLL1 divider ratio. The value is doubled when sent through Hermes (range 6..26). |
| | 42 | PLL1 feedback bypass | 1* | 0..1 | Set to invoke PLL1 feedback bypass |
| | 41 | PLL1 range | 0* | 0..1 | Set for operation at high frequency (above 0.45 GHz); cleared for operation at low frequency (below 0.45 GHz). Used for ring oscillator only. |
| | 40 | PLL1 oscillator select | 0 | 0..1 | Set to select multivibrator oscillator. Cleared to select ring oscillator |
| | 39 : 35 | PLL0 divide ratio | 10 | 3..13 | PLL0 divider ratio. The value is doubled when sent to the SOFA clock (range 6..26) |
| | 34 | PLL0 feedback bypass | 1 | 0..1 | Set to invoke PLL0 feedback bypass |
| | 33 | PLL0 range | 0 | 0 | Set for operation at high frequency (above 0.45 GHz); cleared for operation at low frequency (below 0.45 GHz). Used for ring oscillator only. |
| | 32 | PLL0 oscillator select | 0 | 0 | Set to select multivibrator oscillator. Cleared to select ring oscillator |
| | 31 : 24 | analog measurement | 0 | 0 | Set to measure analog levels at various test points within device |
| | 23 : 22 | meltdown threshold | 0 | 0..3 | Set to perform margin testing of the meltdown detector. Each value corresponds to the following testing temperature: 0 - 155 degrees C 1 - 60 degrees C 2 - 100 degrees C 3 - 25 degrees C |
| | 21 | conversion start | 0* | 0..1 | Setting this bit causes the conversion to begin. The bit remains set until conversion is complete |
| | 20 : 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved (selection extension) |
| | 16 | conversion selection | 0* | 0..1 | This field selects which conversion to perform, either temperature or reference. The results can be used to compute absolute temperature. |
| | 15 : 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved (counter extension) |
| | 9 : 0 | conversion counter | 0* | 400..700 | This field is set to the two's complement of the downslope count. The counter counts upward to zero, and then continues counting on the upslope until conversion completes. The temperature range is from 0 to 125 degrees C. |

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| octlet 32 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------------------|-------|-------|--|
| | 63 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 62 | quadrature bypass | 0* | | Setting this bit causes the quadrature circuit to be bypassed; the input clock signal is used directly. |
| | 61 | quadrature range | 0* | | Set to 0 if the Hermes channel is operating at a low frequency; 1 if the Hermes channel is operating at a high frequency |
| | 60 | output termination | 1 | | Set to enable output terminators. Clear to disable output terminators. |
| | 59 : 57 | termination resistance | 1 | | Set termination resistance level |
| | 56 : 54 | output current | 1 | | Set output current level MU 0054562 |
| | 53 : 48 | skew bit 7 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho7 skew circuit |
| | 47 : 42 | skew bit 6 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho6 skew circuit |
| | 41 : 36 | skew bit 5 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho5 skew circuit |
| | 35 : 30 | skew bit 4 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho4 skew circuit |
| | 29 : 24 | skew bit 3 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho3 skew circuit |
| | 23 : 18 | skew bit 2 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho2 skew circuit |
| | 17 : 12 | skew bit 1 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho1 skew circuit |
| | 11 : 6 | skew bit 0 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho0 skew circuit |
| | 5 : 0 | skew clk | 1 | | Set delay in HoC skew circuit |

a. Register 32 controls Hermes channel 0.

| octlet 33 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------------------|-------|-------|--|
| | 63 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved |
| | 62 | quadrature bypass | 0* | | Setting this bit causes the quadrature circuit to be bypassed; the input clock signal is used directly. |
| | 61 | quadrature range | 0* | | Set to 0 if the Hermes channel is operating at a low frequency; 1 if the Hermes channel is operating at a high frequency |
| | 60 | output termination | 1 | | Set to enable output terminators. Clear to disable output terminators. |
| | 59 : 57 | termination resistance | 1 | | Set termination resistance level |
| | 56 : 54 | output current | 1 | | Set output current level |
| | 53 : 48 | skew bit 7 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho7 skew circuit |
| | 47 : 42 | skew bit 6 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho6 skew circuit |
| | 41 : 36 | skew bit 5 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho5 skew circuit |

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| octlet 33 ^a | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|------------------------|---------|------------|-------|-------|-------------------------------|
| | 35 : 30 | skew bit 4 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho4 skew circuit |
| | 29 : 24 | skew bit 3 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho3 skew circuit |
| | 23 : 18 | skew bit 2 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho2 skew circuit |
| | 17 : 12 | skew bit 1 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho1 skew circuit |
| | 11 : 6 | skew bit 0 | 1 | | Set delay in Ho0 skew circuit |
| | 5 : 0 | skew clk | 1 | | Set delay in HoC skew circuit |

a. Register 33 controls Hermes channel 1.

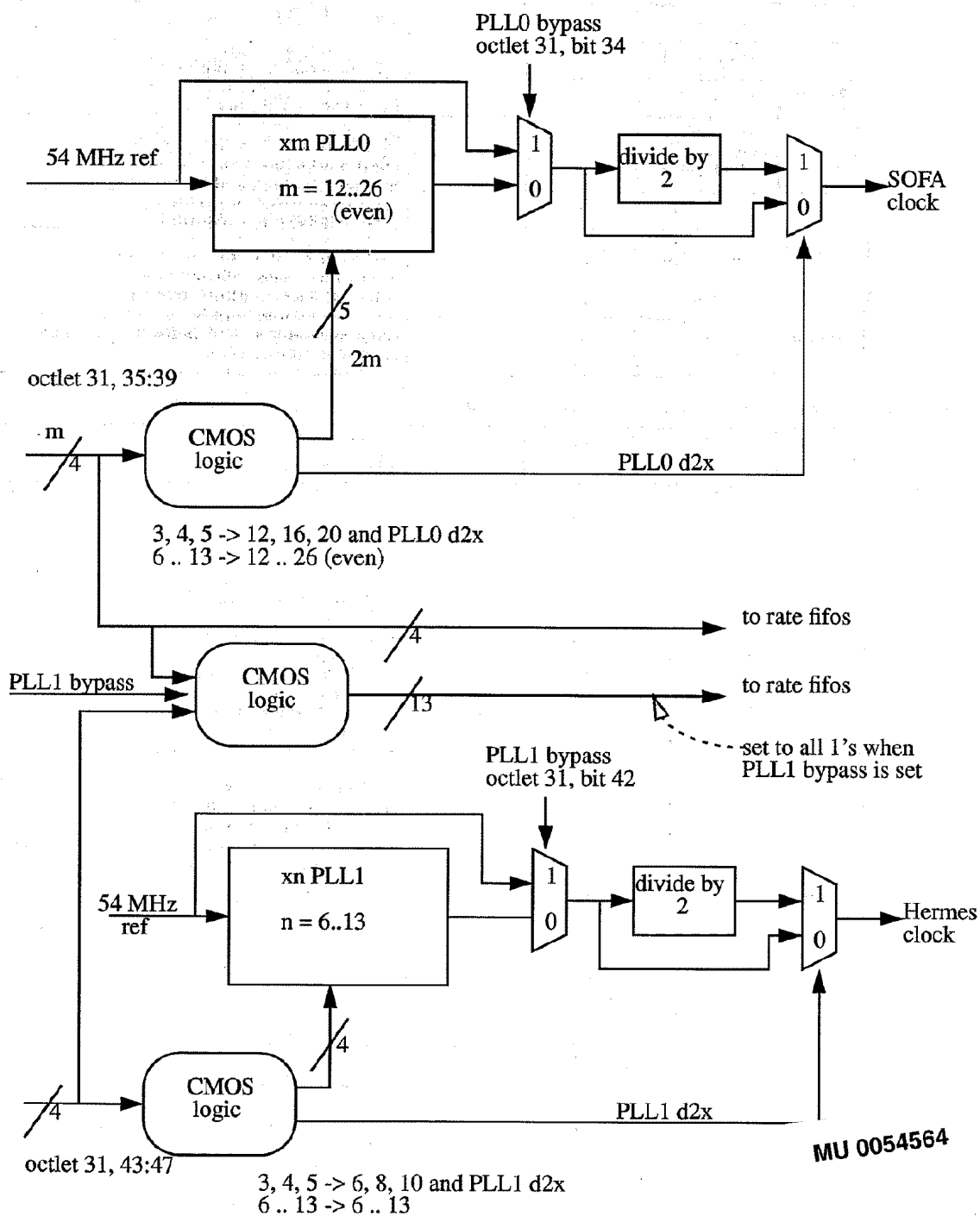
| octlet 34..63 | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|---------------|--------|------------|-------|-------|--|
| | 63 : 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved for use with additional Hermes channel interfaces |

| octlet 64... | bits | field name | value | range | interpretation |
|--------------|--------|------------|-------|-------|--|
| | 63 : 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Reserved for user with later revisions of the architecture |

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Temporary Change file

This file will be turned into a change file for each of the more official versions of the book (the ones with new release numbers).

List of changes: 1.3 - 1.4

Some more formatting changes throughout the book.

- ※ opcodes.mif
 - EGF MUL64 is not being implemented
 - changed row/column values to hex
- ※ op-desc.mif
 - created new temporary file to begin documenting new and changed opcode formats/descriptions/(maybe pseudocode)
- ※ xlu.mif
 - additional information on the group size for E instructions
- ※ memory.mif
 - Changes to executable code space column in memory map
 - some corrections to the memory map and unused space tables
 - added section for watchdog timer
 - updated NB connections diagram
- ※ reset.mif
 - More information on power up and resets, clears, etc.

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※ cerberus.mif

- some minor formatting changes
- added note to reg. 6 that icache/dcache configuration take effect immediately
- refresh enable in octlet 10 powers up at 0.
- added note to knob settings that reset for over-temp condition overrides default values to 1 (minimum power)
- corrected reg. 30 global resistor setting from 0x1110 to 7
- changed reg. 31 PLL1 and PLL0 divide ratio value defaults

List of changes: 1.2 - 1.3

Some small changes throughout book. Also:

※ opcodes.mif

- eliminated extract table after major opcodes, redundant with Tom's extract table

※ xlu.mif

- correction to bit field withdraw/deposit exception condition

※ memory.mif

- many small changes throughout chapter
- added column to memory map saying which spaces code can execute from.
- document that there's no unused space in ROM address range
- updated gtlb, dcache tag, and icache tag protection fields
- updated LTLB and address translation info due to change in value of LTLB mask field
- corrected definition of exception 10

※ cerberus.mif

- register 6, NB priority, change default value to 16
- registers 25-29, unused fields power up to 0
- register 30 global resistor setting powers up to 1110

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List of changes: 1.1(external) - 1.2

- ✱ intro.mif
 - formatting/terms/typo stuff
- ✱ opcodes.mif
 - added byte order to opcode structure
 - added minor opcode structure
- ✱ xlu.mif: Bit Field Withdraw/Deposit:
 - changed x to s/u in the gextracti/guextracti encoding table
 - corrected inconsistency in imm1 and imm2 definition
- ✱ pipelines.mif
 - formatting/grammar
- ✱ memory.mif:
 - general formatting and terms
 - converted space field on memory map to hex
 - added Access field to memory map
 - reworded some descriptions in unused space table and updated some entries
 - Added to DRAM description
 - Moved address translation description after GTLB/LTLB
 - Corrected address translation formula to account for privilege
 - added descriptions for new exceptions
 - split up data and instruction cache tag information
 - updates to NB description and connection diagram
- ✱ events.mif
 - formatting/terms
- ✱ cerberus.mif
 - added a few cross-references to other chapters and TSA

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